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Pasadena Board of Trade to boost for Southern California exhibit at Portland Fair.

Democrats of Pasadena to hold primaries for Senatorship in Oregon legislature.

Fifty-three men marooned on trestle in Webster Valley when floods sweep structure away, drowning three.

General Eastern.

Open switch near Little Rock causes wreck in which one dies and many suffer; pile-up of schedule sends trains crashing together in Kansas, injuring scores.

Steamer goes ashore on Long Island and crew is drowned to a man.

Collector of customs has record-breaking wedding cake, weighing nearly a ton, made for marriage of daughter.

Explosions and loss of life underground, internal, and year starts off with record bad mine accidents for first two weeks.

Ball fascinates Atlanta ball fascinates President-elect and he keeps his train waiting two hours to Augusta waiting two hours while he dances until 2 o'clock in the morning.

Roosevelt thinks Harriman's recent activities war but a bluff to force Interstate Commerce Commission to agree.

Chicago society woman gives away diamonds as prizes at her card parties and creates havoc.

Mrs. Peary's jealousy aroused over Commander Peary's "possum and persimmon" and each section names some delicacy sent to beat it.

Forestry.

Will Plunkett, forester, makes public annual report for his department.

Mrs. Florence Maybrick declares she will give her life to prison reform in this country.

Foreign.

Japanese paper of Yokohama, Japan, editorial to Ambassador Takahira, advising Americans "not to antagonize Japan."

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Mix-up Over Schedule Is the Cause of Head-on Collision in Kansas.

Survivor of Colorado Disaster Tells of Frightful Experiences.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Rock Island passenger train that left Memphis for the West at 11:40 o'clock last night ran into an open switch and collided with a freight engine in Argenta, early this morning. Both engines and several passenger cars were completely demolished. One person was instantly killed, four were so badly injured they may die.

The dead:

J. W. WOODS, passenger train's fireman.

Probably fatally injured:

J. W. Morrison, engineer.

W. D. Dorsett, fireman.

B. Lindley, engineer.

Bartley, porter.

Injured:

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[illegible]es T. Roberts, Little Rock, in[illegible] extent not known.

Fanny Sanders, Shawnee, Okla., ankle bruised.

Otto J. Bandt, Little Rock, injury of head and leg.

O. H. Bryant, Shawmut, Ark., bruised chest and left arm.

C. T. Grady, general delivery, Delta county, Texas, leg bruised.

Mollie Landis, Hugo, Okla., mouth cut.

George A. Allen, Wichita, Kan., injury patella and head.

Ike Sexton, McAlester, Okla., leg bruised.

Ben Tucker, Memphis, Tenn., face bruised.

Thomas Trapes, Morton, N. C., right arm sprained.

W. J. Whittlesy, baggageman, slightly injured.

T. Hoffman, Monroe, La., injured slightly.

W. D. Hawkins, abrasion on hand.

John Sample, Columbia, Miss., slight injury.

John S. Booth, Little Rock, injury slight.

TWENTY-THREE HURT IN KANSAS WRECK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COFFEYVILLE (Kan.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Missouri Pacific passenger train, 103, due here at 6:15 a.m., from Kansas City, collided head on two miles west of this city this morning with a north-bound freight. No one was killed, but twenty-three persons were injured, some severely.

Mrs. P. S. Powell, of Nowata, Okla., may die. Several of her ribs were broken and she is injured internally. The injured were taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital in this city. They are:

R. B. Craig, passenger engineer, slightly scalded.

Mrs. A. B. Guy, Dearing, Kan., nose broken, bruises.

Mrs. N. E. Watson, Independence, Kan., bruised about head and chest.

George Schmidt, news agent, Kansas City, bruised about head and chest.

F. T. Hamilton, Hiawatha, nose broken.

L. L. Bogue, Greenwich, Kan., neck severely sprained, bruises about the back.

P. S. Powell, Nowata, Okla., broken ribs, cuts and bruises.

William F. Keeley and wife, New York, both internally injured and each severely cut and bruised.

The others injured were more or less bruised and cut, but not seriously.

A mix-up in schedule is the cause of the disaster, the conductor of the freight train having an old schedule, which gave him ten minutes in which to make Deering from this city, whereas the new schedule allowed but five. The passenger was on time and had left Deering but a few moments before, colliding with the freight train on a sharp curve.

The engines were telescoped, and it took six hours to clear the track.

The passenger was loaded with people and but for the slowing down of the train by Engineer R. B. Craig, many more would have been injured and possibly killed. The train crew of the freight were fortunate enough to leave their train before the crash and escaped injury.

The passenger fireman, L. O. Carr, was shoveling coal and did not see the danger ahead until it was too late to warn Engineer R. B. Craig, who

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TAFT TALKS TO NEGROES.

Says They, Themselves, Must Settle Race Question by Becoming Indispensable to Community.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

AUGUSTA (Ga.) Jan. 17.—Introduced to a big audience of men, comprising the negro Y.M.C.A. of this city today, President-elect Taft discussed the Christian uplift of Y.M.C.A. work.

Dr. Walker, known as the "Black Spurgeon," who was introduced by Mr. Taft, said the negroes of Georgia owned a million acres of land in the State and paid taxes on twenty million dollars' worth of property.

This report Mr. Taft regarded as most encouraging. It gave him an illustration for the oft-expressed belief that the race question must be settled by the negroes themselves becoming indispensable to the community in which they live.

This meant industry and thrift, acquired by constant individual effort.

SETTLED AT LAST.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—It was made public today that after five years of litigation settlements had been made in the cases of thirty of the deaths caused by the Iroquois Theater fire. It is said that \$750 a case is to be paid.

Giuseppe Cutrones

Giuseppe Malfa and Giuseppe Cutrones,, Two of the first Sicilians to arrive in New York, the latter having lost his wife and three children at Messina.

DEATH'S PORTALS.

CHILDREN ENTOMBED FOR EIGHTEEN DAYS.

Two Sisters and a Little Brother Tell of Awful Experience in Darkness Beside Dead Mother and Baby. Often Cried of Hunger.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MESSINA (Sicily) Jan. 16.—I visited today the three children of Nicolo Minessale, who survive as if by a miracle, after being entombed in the ruins for eighteen days.

The three who have risen from a living death are Giovannina, 21 years old, Nutulima, 12, and Francisco, 9 years.

The girls are too weak to stand, but Giovannina, on a cot, told a simple, graphic, pathetic story:

"We are surprised to see the whole city in ruins. We thought only our house had fallen, so we wondered why some one did not come and rescue us.

"After our house fell all was darkness, silence and dust that nearly smothered us. But it fell so that it did not crush us and the baby. After a little while we cried 'mamma, mamma,' and then we heard her voice calling us one by one. We answered and we heard her pray. Then she told us not to be afraid that help would come.

"We tried often in the dark to find her but we could not. We often called her and she often called us, always one by one.

"A long time passed—oh, such a long time. We called 'mamma' and she did not answer. Then I knew she was dead.

"Often we shouted and, except that, all was silence. The children cried for hunger.

"I groped about and found two boxes of figs, some onions and a jar of water. We ate and drank very little because we did not know how long we would be there. Then I found some matches and by the light we found mamma and the baby. Mamma had been dead a long time, but the baby was alive. We gave her all the food and water she would take, but she died and we put her body beside mamma's.

"But Francisco—he is a brave boy, sir—climbed through the hole we had made above us, crawled out and called 'help—help' until some soldiers came to him. He said, 'My sisters are down there.'

"The soldiers laughed at him. They did not think it possible, sir, that anybody could have lived as we did for so long a time, ut at last they knew that Francisco was telling the truth and they dug us out."

READY TO START.

SHIP LOAD OF SUPPLIES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Loaded with lumber and materials sufficient to construct 500 houses to shelter the homeless in stricken Messina, the steamer Eva will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard dock tomorrow for Italy. Within two hours of the receipt on Saturday of the orders from Washington, given at President Roosevelt's instance, to purchase, load and ship building supplies to the devastated districts, Pay Inspector J. A. Mudd, the navy purchasing and disbursing officer here, had chartered the Eva and begun loading. The houses to be constructed will be 15 by 20 feet.

By the end of the week Inspector Mudd exjects to have en route to Messina two more vessels, carrying materials for the remaining 2500 houses provided for by the Congressional appropriation of \$500,000.

FIRST MASS SAID.

SHEPHERDS WATCH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

REGGIO, Jan. 17.—For the first time since the earthquake disaster of December 28, mass was said here today. Processions passed through the city ringing bells and calling people to the service, which was held in an orange and lemon grove near the shore.

EARTHQUAKE SURVIVORS COME TO AMERICA.

Giuseppe Malfa

FASCINATED.

DIXIE BEAUTIES DAZZLED TAFT.

HELD HIS TRAIN TO WALTZ WITH SOUTHERN BELLES.

Two O'clock Sunday Morning Finds President-elect Gaily Dancing With Mrs. Robert Maddox, Handsome Wife of Atlanta Mayor, While His Pullman Berth to Augusta Waits.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "He danced all night 'till broad daylight, and he didn't go home 'till morning." This is what society folk of Atlanta are saying of President-elect Taft today and they are telling very nearly the literal truth. At 2 o'clock this (Sunday) morning Judge Taft was waltzing in the Capitol City Club ballroom with Mrs. Robert Maddox, the handsome wife of Atlanta's Mayor.

Judge Taft's train was due to leave at midnight for Augusta, but at that hour he was having such a good time he asked to have the train held that he might have a few more turns with the belles of Atlanta. His request was gladly granted, the train was held and that is why the President-elect was dancing with Mrs. Maddox in the early hours of Sunday morning instead of being in a Pullman berth on the way to Augusta.

Another Atlanta woman with whom Judge Taft danced was Mrs. W. S. Elkin, wife of the president of the club that was entertaining him. Judge Taft's lightness of foot was a surprise to every one in the room. Despite his 300 pounds avoirdupois he frolicked lightly about the room.

All the women with whom Judge Taft danced were loud in their praises of his skill as a dancer today. They declared that his step was perfect and that none of them worried about the trains of their gowns.

"We were all very glad that Judge Taft was able to remain with us until so much later than he had at first intended," said Mrs. Maddox, speaking for herself and the other women who were present at the ball. "When we were talking about entertaining him some one who knew nothing about his ability said that a man so heavy would not dance. But another of our ladies said that she had danced with him in Virginia, and so we made our plans for last evening's dance. Now I know that we all are glad that we did, for we had just a lovely time, and we are so glad that he is to be our President."

NEW HOME FOR ELKS.

Magnificent Clubhouse, Costing a Million, to Be Built in New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The new Elks' home, which is to be erected by the New York Lodge No. 1, is to be the most magnificent of the great number of handsome clubhouses erected by the various lodges of the order.

The building as designed, contemplates a twelve-story, steel frame, fireproof structure, besides a roof garden and two basements. The classic facade will be treated in granite, marble and limestone.

The building is to be equipped with four elevators and fire stairways, and all the requisites essential to the complete clubhouse. The entire cost will be in the neighborhood of \$1,000,000, and that sum has already been financed.

CARRY GIRLS DOWN LADDER.

Young Women Students Rescued from Burning Dormitory in Michigan.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Mich.) Jan. 17.—A number of young women students narrowly escaped being burned to death early today when the dormitory of Benzonia College at Benzonia, Mich., burned to the ground. Students who slept on the third floor were rescued with ladders.

WELL FIXED.

WOMAN GIVES OUT DIAMONDS.

USES GEMS FOR PRIZES AT HER CARD PARTIES.

Kansas City Society Dame Has Mine of Precious Stones in Arkansas—Negro Boy, Who Sold Her "Pebble" for Nickle, Shows Her Value of Her Land.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. George D. Hope, of No. 1333 Linwood boulevard, has so many diamonds that she gives them to her guests as prizes at card parties.

Several Kansas City society favorites are already wearing them. Mrs. Hope is a favored personage, however, for she gets her diamonds from her own mines, for which she was recently made a princely offer. Mrs. Hope's husband, who is a lumberman, owns thousands of acres of land in Arkansas. Seven years ago he sold to his wife 3000 acres from which the timber had been cut.

Mrs. Hope went to view her new possessions, and while watching the construction of a logging road across her property, was accosted by a little negro boy, who wanted to sell a "pebble" for a nickel. She bought the "pebble" and told the boy she would give 10 cents apiece for more. He brought her six.

Two years later, John W. Huddleston, a farmer near Murfreesboro, Ark., found diamonds on his property, which is near Mrs. Hope's land. Mrs. Hope then sent the pebbles purchased from the negro boy to a New York lapidist, who pronounced them diamonds.

Since then Mrs. Hope has found nearly 300 diamonds on her property. They range from one-quarter of a carat to five carats in size. The gems came largely from the crest of a hill that appears to be an extinct volcano.

"Several millionaires in the East are wearing diamonds from my mine," said Mrs. Hope, "so I guess they are real."

A syndicate recently tried to purchase Mrs. Hope's mine, but she refused to part with it. A diamond mine near her property was recently capitalized at three-quarters of a million dollars.

TRIED TO BRIBE MINISTERS.

Pittsburgh Clergyman Says He Was Offered Money to "Boost" Candidate from His Pulpit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fight for the Republican nomination for Mayor of Pittsburgh has become so warm that scandals of many kinds are coming to light daily. The star scandal was unearthed here today when a newspaper announced that Rev. O. S. Sims of the Rodman-street Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Webb of Antioch Baptist Church, Rev. W. H. Henderson of St. John's Baptist Church, Rev. D. Scott of Trinity Baptist Church, and Rev. A. W. Puller of the Second Baptist Church, were offered \$100 each to "boost" W. A. Magee, one of the candidates, from their pulpits. Acording to Puller, all save himself agreed to do this.

The entire five ministers are said to have been called into the office of William A. Roberts, a corporation man, and a friend of Magee's, on last Wednesday, and offered \$100 each for letters which had been written them by Steel, another candidate, and in addition to that, were to publicly indorse Magee from the pulpit. To this, according to Rev. Puller, and two witnesses, who had been placed outside the door, all but himself agreed, and when he protested he was threatened with foreclosure of a mortgage on his home.

The publication of this story in Pittsburgh today caused great consternation, while those accused deny. Rev. Puller says he is ready to prove his statements in court.

PROSPECTOR'S CHANCE NOW.

Many Claims Filed on Rich Concession Recently Held by Col. Greene in Mexico.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHIHUAHUA (Mex.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Many rich mining claims situated upon the three million-acre tract of mineral land in the States of Chihuahua and Sonora, embraced in the concession held by Col. W. C. Greene, and associates, and which was declared forfeited by the Federal government on January 12, are being filed upon by prospectors. This great mineral territory contains several mines which have passed into the hands of Mexicans since their abandonment by the Greene syndicate.

CLARA MORRIS ILL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—It was learned tonight that Clara Morris, the actress, who has been ill for a long time, is in a serious condition. A nervous break-down caused her illness. Miss Morris, who in private life is Mrs. Frederick C. Harriott, is at her home in Yonkers, N. Y. She is 60 years old.

RESISTLESS TORRENTS.

MAROONED BY FLOOI

Twenty-five Work men Caught.

Rushing Waters Undermin Trestle, Two of Gang Drown.

Boats Come to the Rescue o the Others in Time to Save Them.

Conditions in General Ar Improving, With the Streams Falling.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—In making frantic efforts to escape from a section of the long trestle this side of Webster Station, Yolo county two and one-half miles from this city two section laborers, one known a Peter, and the other as Andrew Ba gros, both of whom lived in San Fran cisco, were drowned by jumping int the deep overflow water that was fas eating away the foundations of th trestle.

The gang of laborers, twenty-five i number, were engaged in piling rock and other ballast on the trestle whe the foreman discovered that the sec tion on which they were working wa about to be swept away. The foreman quickly mounted a handcar, and telling his men to follow after him on foot started as fast as possible for Webste to summon help. He reached Web ster safely and telephoned to head quarters in this city for assistance.

But in the meantime, the trestl went out in two places—in front an in the rear of the gang of laborers marooning them helpless, and in position that was becoming more perilous as the water rushed in ter rents and carried away section afte section of the trestle.

From accounts given by the twenty three laborers who were subsequentl rescued from the trestle by a force o men who went out in boats from Washington, it was learned that two of their number were missing.

They became confused and not knowing what they were about, jumped into the water when they saw the tim bers torn from the trestle. It is known that two were drowned and the sur vivors who were brought to this city said it is probable that more went down in the confusion.

TRAFFIC DEMORALIZED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—With railroad traffic still in a badly demoralized state, owing to the breaking of the western levees between Webster and Kobe, two miles west of Sacramento, and the washing out of two miles of track, but with all rivers in the flooded section of the State falling rapidly and the foothill country for the present swept bare of snow, the general flood situation is more promising tonight. Trains to and from Sacramento are being handled by way of Stockton. Several thousand acres of grain land have been inundated in Sacramento and Yolo counties, and the newly sown crop destroyed, but no further damage is expected except in the event of a cold snap and more snow in the hills.

Warm showers prevail throughout the central portion of the State tonight, but the rainfall is not enough to affect the rivers.

Between Sacramento and Roseville Junction the Southern Pacific is working night and day to connect its tracks with the bridge of the Northern Electric Company, the only railroad crossing still standing over the American River. This work is not complete, and overland traffic is still being routed from Salt Lake south via Mojave and Los Angeles.

At Sacramento the Sacramento River has remained stationary, at 29 feet, for many hours past, and is now slowly receding. The breaking of the levees along the Yolo basin side has relieved the strain to such an extent that other levees are not safe. The American River is also subsiding, but the levees are being carefully guarded at all danger points, though the crisis is believed to be past. The Yuba and Feather rivers are both reported to be receding at Marysville, though the breaking of the levees on the Sutter county side has done great damage to crops and completely demoralized train service and wire communication in that section of the State.

The greatest damage to crops was south of Colusa, where the Sacramento broke through its barriers at eight different points, covering a great area of grain land to a depth of several feet. The same conditions prevail at Chico, where the river is out of its banks in the farm land, forming a sea four miles in width.

SACRAMENTO STATIONARY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—At 8 o'clock tonight, the Sacramento River at this point stands at twenty-nine feet, at which stage it has been stationary for sixteen hours. Water is pouring through numerous breaks on the Yolo county or western shore below Washington, but there is not the semblance of trouble on the Sacramento side. The Yolo basin is rapidly filling and some of the streets in the little town of Washington, Yolo county, are under water.

ANOTHER STORM BREAKS.

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Police at last compelled to raid notorious Spring-street gambling den because of numerous complaints; fifteen arrests made but three prisoners escape after five taken to Central Station. Search to start at San Pedro will be made by land base, as well as army headquarters.

Aviator's fearful fall from high tight wire at Chutes Park witnessed by hundreds of women and children; his injuries may prove fatal.

Musical programme arranged for Banquet of All Nations, to be opened Thursday at Turner Hall for the benefit of Messina earthquake sufferers.

Homing Pigeon and Bantam Club exhibition closes; list of prize winners.

Man at South Broadway hotel narrowly escapes asphyxiation while taking bath.

Negro and white man arouse Japanese in cheap hand, at point of revolver, and take open safe; robbers get $60 in cash.

Chinese man, believing himself murderer pursued by detectives, jumps from third-story window but sustains only a sprained ankle.

Southern California.

Gasoline boiler explodes Pasadena home in a scenery burr; Crown City road reported at good roads meeting in Sacramento.

Attempt to break into Salt Lake depot at Colton; Southern beauty repents of attempt to commit suicide.

Boarding of Belmont Heights citizens are adopted condemning ordinance.

Pasadena syndicate buys five hundred acres within city limits.

Pasadena will entertain Los Angeles Newspaper Association; Expee Rose claim to seven acres of tide-land.

Riverside County Teachers' Institute to be held at El Centro in March.

Manager of Anaheim Savings Bank resigns.

President of Redlands Y.M.C.A. tells of successful year's work.

Possible miners who have worked year in tunnel without taking out $25 worth of ore, expect to strike pay ore this week.

Moving photographs taken by Conn Expedition in Gulf of California are presented to Tuna Club at Avalon.

Fight for right to roads up Live Oak Canyon, Lordsburg, safeguarded by action of Supervisor.

Redlands High School debaters win from Ontario in contest for Swing trophy.

Tourists crowd canyons of Monrovia, taking advantage of summer weather.

Disastrous fire at San Bernardino myasthenic laborers robbed of dollars.

Prisoner at work at Sawtelle; new Commissioner appointed.

Band Minister opening at Venice attracts large crowd.

Pasadena Park Trustees asked to submit bonding rates question to popular vote.

Los Angeles-Pacific and Santa Monica lines may be able to settle differences.

Nearly half million dollars expended in public improvements last year.

Fallbrook man puts curse on Texas because she has not supplied cash in addition to "gold-lined" island in mid-ocean.

Indian girls who ran away from Perris Institute are captured near Colton.

Pacific Slope.

Passenger at Searchlight, Nev., finds $1,000 in his accounts, goes home and kills himself.

Bullet-riddled bodies of Seattle attorney, his wife and daughter, found in bathroom by agent of young woman.

Oregon woman's suffrage faces defeat in Senate; State Senate; new game commission and money asked for by Southern California hospital for tots at Patton.

Fight for Senatorship in Oregon ends in stage.

Twenty-five men marooned on trestle in Sacramento Valley when floods sweep away, drowning three.

General Eastern.

Train switch near Little Rock causes wreck in which one dies and many suffer; mix-up of schedule sends trains crashing together in Kansas, injuring many.

Bear goes ashore on Long Island and cow is drowned to a man.

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Fire rumors and loss of life underwriters increase, and year starts off with two bad mine accidents with fatalities.

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Survivor of Colorado Disaster Tells of Frightful Experiences.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Rock Island passenger train that left Memphis for the West at 11:40 o'clock last night ran into an open switch and collided with a freight engine in Argenta, early this morning. Both engines and several passenger cars were completely demolished. One person was instantly killed, four were so badly injured they may die.

The dead:

J. W. WOODS, passenger train's fireman.

Probably fatally injured:

J. W. Morrison, engineer.
W. D. Dorsett, fireman.
H. B. Lindley, engineer.
W. Bartley, porter.

Others injured:

Isaac Seiz, 71 East Ninety-seventh street, New York; extent of injuries not known.

H. T. Julian, head bruised.

W. H. McNeely, Little Rock, back injured.

Mrs. Jennie Martin, Waxahachie, Tex., right arm injured.

Mrs. Lena Butler, Hot Springs, Ark., injury of chest.

Mrs. Lulu Collins, Clinton, Tex., extent of injuries not known.

J. T. Carden, Poteau, Okla., left side injured.

Julia Hoffman, Monroe, La., head bruised.

Edward Myers, Covington, Tenn., both feet injured.

Charles T. Roberts, Little Rock, injury extent not known.

Fanny Sanders, Shawnee, Okla., ankle bruised.

Otto J. Bandt, Little Rock, injury of head and leg.

O. H. Bryant, Shawmut, Ark., bruised chest and left arm.

C. T. Grady, general delivery, Delta county, Texas, leg bruised.

Mollie Landis, Hugo, Okla., mouth cut.

George A. Allen, Wichita, Kan., injury patella and head.

Ike Sexton, McAlester, Okla., leg bruised.

Ben Tucker, Memphis, Tenn., face bruised.

Thomas Trapes, Morton, N. C., right arm sprained.

W. J. Whittlesy, baggageman, slightly injured.

T. Hoffman, Monroe, La., injured slightly.

W. D. Hawkins, abrasion on hand.

John Sample, Columbia, Miss., slight injury.

John S. Booth, Little Rock, injury slight.

TWENTY-THREE HURT IN KANSAS WRECK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

COFFEYVILLE (Kan.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Missouri Pacific passenger train, 103, due here at 6:15 a.m., from Kansas City, collided head on two miles west of this city this morning with a north-bound freight. No one was killed, but twenty-three persons were injured, some severely.

Mrs. P. S. Powell, of Nowata, Okla., may die. Several of her ribs were broken and she is injured internally. The injured were taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital in this city. They are:

R. B. Craig, passenger engineer, slightly scalded.

Mrs. A. B. Guy, Dearing, Kan., nose broken, bruises.

Mrs. N. E. Watson, Independence, Kan., bruised about head and chest.

George Schenidt, news agent, Kansas City, bruised about head and chest.

P. T. Hamilton, Hiawatha, nose broken.

L. L. Bogue, Greenwich, Kan., neck severely sprained, bruises about the back.

P. S. Powell, Nowata, Okla., broken ribs, cuts and bruises.

William F. Keeley and wife, New York, both internally injured and each severely cut and bruised.

The others injured were more or less bruised and cut, but not seriously.

A mix-up in schedule is the cause of the disaster, the conductor of the freight train having an old schedule, which gave him ten minutes in which to make Deering from this city, whereas the new schedule allowed but five. The passenger was on time and had left Deering but a few moments before, colliding with the freight train on a sharp curve.

The engines were telescoped, and it took six hours to clear the track.

The passenger was loaded with people and but for the slowing down of the train by Engineer R. B. Craig, many more would have been injured and possibly killed. The train crew of the freight were fortunate enough to leave their train before the crash and escaped injury.

The passenger fireman, L. O. Carr, was shoveling coal and did not see the danger ahead until it was too late to warn Engineer R. B. Craig, who

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TAFT TALKS TO NEGROES.

Says They, Themselves, Must Settle Race Question by Becoming Indispensable to Community.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

AUGUSTA (Ga.) Jan. 17.—Introduced to a big audience of men, comprising the negro Y.M.C.A. of this city today, President-elect Taft discussed the Christian uplift of Y.M.C.A. work.

Dr. Walker, known as the "Black Spurgeon," who was introduced by Mr. Taft, said the negroes of Georgia owned a million acres of land in the State and paid taxes on twenty million dollars' worth of property.

This report Mr. Taft regarded as most encouraging. It gave him an illustration for the oft-expressed belief that the race question must be settled by the negroes themselves becoming indispensable to the community in which they live.

This meant industry and thrift, acquired by constant individual effort.

SETTLED AT LAST.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—It was made public today that after five years of litigation settlements had been made in the cases of thirty of the deaths caused by the Iroquois Theater fire. It is said that $750 a case is to be paid.

Giuseppe Cutrones

Giuseppe Malfa and Giuseppe Cutrones,, Two of the first Sicilians to arrive in New York, the latter having lost his wife and three children at Messina.

DEATH'S PORTALS.

CHILDREN ENTOMBED FOR EIGHTEEN DAYS.

Two Sisters and a Little Brother Tell of Awful Experience in Darkness Beside Dead Mother and Baby. Often Cried of Hunger.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MESSINA (Sicily) Jan. 16.—I visited today the three children of Nicolo Minessale, who survive as if by a miracle, after being entombed in the ruins for eighteen days.

The three who have risen from a living death are Giovannina, 21 years old, Nutulima, 12, and Francisco, 9 years.

The girls are too weak to stand, but Giovannina, on a cot, told a simple, graphic, pathetic story:

"We are surprised to see the whole city in ruins. We thought only our house had fallen, so we wondered why some one did not come and rescue us.

"After our house fell all was darkness, silence and dust that nearly smothered us. But it fell so that it did not crush us and the baby. After a little while we cried 'mamma, mamma,' and then we heard her voice calling us one by one. We answered and we heard her pray. Then she told us not to be afraid that help would come.

"We tried often in the dark to find her but we could not. We often called her and she often called us, always one by one.

"A long time passed—oh, such a long time. We called 'mamma' and she did not answer. Then I knew she was dead.

"Often we shouted and, except that, all was silence. The children cried for hunger.

"I groped about and found two boxes of figs, some onions and a jar of water. We ate and drank very little because we did not know how long we would be there. Then I found some matches and by the light we found mamma and the baby. Mamma had been dead a long time, but the baby was alive. We gave her all the food and water she would take, but she died and we put her body beside mamma's.

"But Francisco—he is a brave boy, sir—climbed through the hole we had made above us, crawled out and called 'help—help' until some soldiers came to him. He said, 'My sisters are down there.'

"The soldiers laughed at him. They did not think it possible, sir, that anybody could have lived as we did for so long a time, ut at last they knew that Francisco was telling the truth and they dug us out."

READY TO START.

SHIP LOAD OF SUPPLIES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Loaded with lumber and materials sufficient to construct 500 houses to shelter the homeless in stricken Messina, the steamer Eva will sail from the Brooklyn navy yard dock tomorrow for Italy. Within two hours of the receipt on Saturday of the orders from Washington, given at President Roosevelt's instance, to purchase, load and ship building supplies to the devastated districts, Pay Inspector J. A. Mudd, the navy purchasing and disbursing officer here, had chartered the Eva and begun loading. The houses to be constructed will be 15 by 20 feet.

By the end of the week Inspector Mudd expects to have en route to Messina two more vessels, carrying materials for the remaining 2500 houses provided for by the Congressional appropriation of $500,000.

FIRST MASS SAID.

SHEPHERDS WATCH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

REGGIO, Jan. 17.—For the first time since the earthquake disaster of December 28, mass was said here today. Processions passed through the city ringing bells and calling people to the service, which was held in an orange and lemon grove near the shore.

EARTHQUAKE SURVIVORS COME TO AMERICA.

Giuseppe Malfa

FASCINATED.

DIXIE BEAUTIES DAZZLED TAFT.

HELD HIS TRAIN TO WALTZ WITH SOUTHERN BELLES.

Two O'clock Sunday Morning Finds President-elect Gaily Dancing With Mrs. Robert Maddox, Handsome Wife of Atlanta Mayor, While His Pullman Berth to Augusta Waits.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ATLANTA (Ga.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "He danced all night 'till broad daylight, and he didn't go home 'till morning." This is what society folk of Atlanta are saying of President-elect Taft today and they are telling very nearly the literal truth. At 2 o'clock this (Sunday) morning Judge Taft was waltzing in the Capitol City Club ballroom with Mrs. Robert Maddox, the handsome wife of Atlanta's Mayor.

Judge Taft's train was due to leave at midnight for Augusta, but at that hour he was having such a good time he asked to have the train held that he might have a few more turns with the belles of Atlanta. His request was gladly granted, the train was held and that is why the President-elect was dancing with Mrs. Maddox in the early hours of Sunday morning instead of being in a Pullman berth on the way to Augusta.

Another Atlanta woman with whom Judge Taft danced was Mrs. W. S. Elkin, wife of the president of the club that was entertaining him. Judge Taft's lightness of foot was a surprise to every one in the room. Despite his 300 pounds avoirdupois he frolicked lightly about the room.

All the women with whom Judge Taft danced were loud in their praises of his skill as a dancer today. They declared that his step was perfect and that none of them worried about the trains of their gowns.

"We were all very glad that Judge Taft was able to remain with us until so much later than he had at first intended," said Mrs. Maddox, speaking for herself and the other women who were present at the ball. "When we were talking about entertaining him some one who knew nothing about his ability said that a man so heavy would not dance. But another of our ladies said that she had danced with him in Virginia, and so we made our plans for last evening's dance. Now I know that we all are glad that we did, for we had just a lovely time, and we are so glad that he is to be our President."

NEW HOME FOR ELKS.

Magnificent Clubhouse, Costing a Million, to Be Built in New York.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The new Elks' home, which is to be erected by the New York Lodge No. 1, is to be the most magnificent of the great number of handsome clubhouses erected by the various lodges of the order.

The building as designed, contemplates a twelve-story, steel frame, fireproof structure, besides a roof garden and two basements. The classic facade will be treated in granite, marble and limestone.

The building is to be equipped with four elevators and fire stairways, and all the requisites essential to the complete clubhouse. The entire cost will be in the neighborhood of $1,000,000, and that sum has already been financed.

CARRY GIRLS DOWN LADDER.

Young Women Students Rescued from Burning Dormitory in Michigan.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Mich.) Jan. 17.—A number of young women students narrowly escaped being burned to death early today when the dormitory of Benzonia College at Benzonia, Mich., burned to the ground. Students who slept on the third floor were rescued with ladders.

WELL FIXED.

WOMAN GIVES OUT DIAMONDS.

USES GEMS FOR PRIZES AT HER CARD PARTIES.

Kansas City Society Dame Has Mine of Precious Stones in Arkansas—Negro Boy, Who Sold Her "Pebble" for Nickle, Shows Her Value of Her Land.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. George D. Hope, of No. 1333 Linwood boulevard, has so many diamonds that she gives them to her guests as prizes at card parties.

Several Kansas City society favorites are already wearing them. Mrs. Hope is a favored personage, however, for she gets her diamonds from her own mines, for which she was recently made a princely offer. Mrs. Hope's husband, who is a lumberman, owns thousands of acres of land in Arkansas. Seven years ago he sold to his wife 3000 acres from which the timber had been cut.

Mrs. Hope went to view her new possessions, and while watching the construction of a logging road across her property, was accosted by a little negro boy, who wanted to sell a "pebble" for a nickel. She bought the "pebble" and told the boy she would give 10 cents apiece for more. He brought her six.

Two years later, John W. Huddleston, a farmer near Murfreesboro, Ark., found diamonds on his property, which is near Mrs. Hope's land. Mrs. Hope then sent the pebbles purchased from the negro boy to a New York lapidist, who pronounced them diamonds.

Since then Mrs. Hope has found nearly 300 diamonds on her property. They range from one-quarter of a carat to five carats in size. The gems came largely from the crest of a hill that appears to be an extinct volcano.

"Several millionaires in the East are wearing diamonds from my mine," said Mrs. Hope, "so I guess they are real."

A syndicate recently tried to purchase Mrs. Hope's mine, but she refused to part with it. A diamond mine near her property was recently capitalized at three-quarters of a million dollars.

TRIED TO BRIBE MINISTERS.

Pittsburgh Clergyman Says He Was Offered Money to "Boost" Candidate from His Pulpit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fight for the Republican nomination for Mayor of Pittsburgh has become so warm that scandals of many kinds are coming to light daily. The star scandal was unearthed here today when a newspaper announced that Rev. O. S. Sims of the Rodman-street Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Webb of Antioch Baptist Church, Rev. W. H. Benderson of St. John's Baptist Church, Rev. D. Scott of Trinity Baptist Church, and Rev. A. W. Puller of the Second Baptist Church were offered $100 each to "boost" W. A. Magee, one of the candidates, from their pulpits. Acording to Puller, all save himself agreed to do this.

The entire five ministers are said to have been called into the office of William A. Roberts, a corporation man, and a friend of Magee's, on last Wednesday, and offered $100 each for letters which had been written them by Steel, another candidate, and in addition to that, were to publicly indorse Magee from the pulpit. To this, according to Rev. Puller, and two witnesses, who had been placed outside the door, all but himself agreed, and when he protested he was threatened with foreclosure of a mortgage on his home.

The publication of this story in Pittsburgh today caused great consternation, while those accused deny. Rev. Puller says he is ready to prove his statements in court.

PROSPECTOR'S CHANCE NOW.

Many Claims Filed on Rich Concession Recently Held by Col. Greene in Mexico.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHIHUAHUA (Mex.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Many rich mining claims situated upon the three million-acre tract of mineral land in the States of Chihuahua and Sonora, embraced in the concession held by Col. W. C. Greene, and associates, and which was declared forfeited by the Federal government on January 12, are being filed upon by prospectors. This great mineral territory contains several mines which have passed into the hands of Mexicans since their abandonment by the Greene syndicate.

CLARA MORRIS ILL.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—It was learned tonight that Clara Morris, the actress, who has been ill for a long time, is in a serious condition. A nervous break-down caused her illness. Miss Morris, who in private life is Mrs. Frederick C. Harriott, is at her home in Yonkers, N. Y. She is 60 years old.

RESISTLESS TORRENTS.

MAROONED BY FLOOI

Twenty-five Work men Caught.

Rushing Waters Undermin Trestle, Two of Gang Drown.

Boats Come to the Rescue o the Others in Time to Save Them.

Conditions in General Ar Improving, With the Streams Falling.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—In making frantic efforts to escape from a section of the long trestle this side of Webster Station, Yolo county two and one-half miles from this city two section laborers, one known a Peter, and the other as Andrew Sa gros, both of whom lived in San Francisco, were drowned by jumping into the deep overflow water that was fast eating away the foundations of the trestle.

The gang of laborers, twenty-five in number, were engaged in piling rock and other ballast on the trestle when the foreman discovered that the section on which they were working was about to be swept away. The foreman quickly mounted a handcar, and telling his men to follow after him on foot started as fast as possible for Webster to summon help. He reached Webster safely and telephoned to headquarters in this city for assistance.

But in the meantime, the trestle went out in two places—in front and in the rear of the gang of laborers—marooning them helpless, and in a position that was becoming more perilous as the water rushed in torrents and carried away section after section of the trestle.

From accounts given by the twenty-three laborers who were subsequently rescued from the trestle by a force of men who went out in boats from Washington, it was learned that two of their number were missing.

They became confused and not knowing what they were about, jumped into the water when they saw the timbers torn from the trestle. It is known that two were drowned and the survivors who were brought to this city said it is probable that more went down in the confusion.

TRAFFIC DEMORALIZED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—With railroad traffic still in a badly demoralized state, owing to the breaking of the western levees between Webster and Kobe, two miles west of Sacramento, and the washing out of two miles of track, but with all rivers in the flooded section of the State falling rapidly and the foothill country for the present swept bare of snow, the general flood situation is more promising tonight. Trains to and from Sacramento are being handled by way of Stockton. Several thousand acres of grain land have been inundated in Sacramento and Yolo counties, and the newly sown crop destroyed, but no further damage is expected except in the event of a cold snap and more snow in the hills.

Warm showers prevail throughout the central portion of the State tonight, but the rainfall is not enough to affect the rivers.

Between Sacramento and Roseville Junction the Southern Pacific is working night and day to connect its tracks with the bridge of the Northern Electric Company, the only railroad crossing still standing over the American River. This work is not complete, and overland traffic is still being routed from Salt Lake south via Mojave and Los Angeles.

At Sacramento the Sacramento River has remained stationary, at 29 feet, for many hours past, and is now slowly receding. The breaking of the levees along the Yolo basin side has relieved the strain to such an extent that other levees are not safe. The American River is also subsiding, but the levees are being carefully guarded at all danger points, though the crisis is believed to be past. The Yuba and Feather rivers are both reported to be receding at Marysville, though the breaking of the levees on the Sutter county side has done great damage to crops and completely demoralized train service and wire communication in that section of the State.

The greatest damage to crops was south of Colusa, where the Sacramento broke through its barriers at eight different points, covering a great area of grain land to a depth of several feet. The same conditions prevail at Chico, where the river is out of its banks in the farm land, forming a sea four miles in width.

SACRAMENTO STATIONARY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—At 6 o'clock tonight, the Sacramento River at this point stands at twenty-nine feet, at which stage it has been stationary for sixteen hours. Water is pouring through numerous breaks on the Yolo county or western shore below Washington, but there is not the semblance of trouble on the Sacramento side. The Yolo basin is rapidly filling and some of the streets in the little town of Washington, Yolo county, are under water.

ANOTHER STORM BREAKS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 17.—Another

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AT THE CAPITAL.

SUFFRAGETTES FACE DEFEAT.

Their Bill Seems Doomed to Speedy Death.

Senator Asks Appropriation for Patton Asylum.

Upper House Will Head Off the Radicals.

BY B. FRANK GREAVES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—Woman suffrage seems marked for defeat after the bill gets through the Assembly. It is generally believed that the lower house will vote favorably on the equal suffrage plank, but there is active objection in the other branch of the Legislature, led by Senators Leavitt of Oakland, by Wolfe of San Francisco, and by Willis of Redlands.

The suffragettes have been unable so far to find a Senator who will introduce their proposed act, and no doubt now exists as to whether they will succeed in the mission. Nevertheless, the measure has been introduced in the Assembly by Grove L. Johnson, and will get into the Senate through the regular order of business.

JUST COURTESY.

Supporters of equal suffrage have plumed themselves on the fact that the amendment lacked only one vote of passage by the Senate two years ago. They failed, however, to read behind the returns and take note of the fact that many of the twenty-one favorable votes were complimentary and that, if necessary to defeat the measure, some of them would have been changed to the other side. It was a gentleman's way of showing courtesy to women.

Several effective lobbyists for equal suffrage have been here since the opening of the session, the most convincing of them all apparently being Mrs. Lilian Coffin, chairman of the Executive Committee of the State League, whose methods have gained for her the friendship of even those legislators who are opposed to the amendment.

Senator Willis probably will speak against the measure, and there will be others. The Democratic minority leader, Senator Bell, and scattering Republicans will vote and work for the plan to give women votes, but as one Senator remarked today, "It looks as if the Assembly were going to unload upon us the responsibility for keeping the question away from the people two years more."

MONEY FOR INSANE.

For the better accommodation of one hundred unfortunate inmates of the Southern California hospital at Patton, Senator Willis will endeavor to get through one more bill in favor of that institution, providing for the appropriation of $40,000 for a second cottage there for the comfort of women patients. When he left San Bernardino a little more than two weeks ago, one hundred insane people were sleeping on the corridor floors of the main building and in the hay at the barns, simply because there was no room for them in the wards.

The insane population is increasing at the rate of one a day from Los Angeles county alone, and the hospital, long ago inadequate, is reported now to be in worse condition than ever. This will make a total of about $125,000 requested for improvements at Patton.

HEAD-OFF RADICALS.

Rabid anti-Japanese legislation proposed in the Assembly by Grove L. Johnson, will be headed off in the Senate. No radical declaration against such aliens is to be permitted in the upper house, though the Assembly may yell itself hoarse over the alleged menace, which Johnson proposes to nip in the bud by segregating Japanese in one section of a country, by depriving them of the right to ownership in corporations, and by otherwise restricting the activity of the foreigners.

Opponents of the radicals insist that Japanese should be accorded the same rights in America as are enjoyed by Americans in Japan. It is pointed that the Federal government has arranged that no more Japanese laborers shall come to these shores, and that this is sufficient for the protection of the people. The conservatives are not keen to stir up trouble with Japan by any act.

GAME LAWS MOOTED.

Two distinct fish and game districts in California is the desire of the State Fish Commission. Senator Willis of San Bernardino will introduce the necessary bill tomorrow, together with several others, affecting fish and game interests.

Because of the difference in conditions as to game in the north and in the south, it has been found advisable to draw a line across the southern part, the territory on the north side of the line to be known as the Northern district and the other the Southern district. Laws to fit either section then can be adopted by the Legislature and is declared the hunter will benefit. The movement is approved by the Game Protective Association of California, of which Henry Keller of Los Angeles is president.

The Southern district as described in the bill, will include the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Diego, Imperial, San Bernardino and Inyo. Other bills by Willis provide that the name of the State Fish Commission be changed to State Fish and Game Commission, that it shall receive licenses and other fees and place them in the fund for game preservation, propagation and restoration, and that county clerks receive 10 per cent. of the hunters' license fees, which yielded throughout the State last year $118,000.

Senator Willis is in favor of reducing the bag limit on ducks to twenty-five a day. It is now thirty-five, and two years ago was fifty. Willis also thinks the limit of quail and doves should be reduced from twenty-five to fifteen.

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The sales of the Midwinter Number of The Times has been very much greater this year than ever before. If you wish to tell your eastern friends more about Los Angeles, Southern California, and the Pacific Southwest—the people, products, soil, climate, enterprises and opportunities for the future—the Midwinter Number of The Times will do it more effectively and thoroughly than would be possible in any other way.

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Assemblyman Drew of Fresno in action.

NEED BUCKET OF ICE.

JAP'S ADVICE: DON'T ANGER US.

"HOCHI" ADDRESSES EDITORIAL TO AMBASSADOR.

Island Nation Will Resort to Determined Policy of Self-Protection, It Is Predicted, If Abuse and Slander Continue—"For Sake of Peace on Pacific, Desist."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Under the caption, "Don't Anger Us," Hochi, in an editorial addressed to Thomas J. O'Brien, American Ambassador at Tokio, says:

"Japan is grateful to America for opening the country and reveres her as the land where virtue is honored, but fears that sooner or later repeated insults will compel Japan to resort to a determined policy of self-protection."

Hochi recalls how, at the time of the school question, the Japanese were objects of intolerable abuse and slander and that, despite Federal expressions of regret and sympathy, Japanese interests and honor were not protected.

"Japan's yielding attitude," continues Hochi, "rather seemed to tie her hands and to augment the restriction of rights enjoyed by all the civilized powers. Considering the fleet's visit, American generosity toward our exposition and visits of commissions of business men, it is highly desirable to find a cure for the malady which has attacked our good relations."

"Hochi appeals to the President and people of America. Although the Japanese still believe the magnanimity displayed in the past will continue, ceaseless affronts are exhausting our boundless patience. For the sake of peace in the Pacific, don't anger us."

FIRE LOSS NEAR MILLION.

Flames Destroy Many Autos Belonging to Theatrical Folk Near Boston. Horses Also Burned.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A loss somewhere between $725,000 and $900,000 was caused this morning by a fire which started in the Park Square auto station in what was formerly the freight house of the old Boston and Providence Railroad Company at Park Square and Columbus avenue.

The fire spread to and partially destroyed what is commonly known as the Providence station, in which there is a bicycle racing track, a skating rink and the winter garden. The fire also communicated to a one-story frame stable adjoining the office of T. H. Matthews & Co., coal dealers, which was practically destroyed, and in which six heavy teaming horses were burned to death.

Several employés had a narrow escape from being burned to death.

The loss on automobiles alone is estimated at $600,000.

Mabel Talliaferro, the actress, lost a $12,000 car. Mrs. D. H. Pingree of Melrose, known professionally as Anna Eva Fay, mind reader, lost a valuable car, and Frank Daniels lost his car.

The fire was one of the most spectacular Boston has seen for many months, and it came on a morning which brought with it the worst snowstorms of the winter.

"DOPE BRINGS DEATH."

Opium Direct Cause of Half a Million Suicides a Year, Says Chinese Doctor.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Jan. 17.—"Opium causes half a million suicides a year," declared Rev. A. S. Gregg of the International Reform Bureau, today, with reference to the opium conference called by President Roosevelt, which begins its session at Shanghai, February 1. The statement is based on letters and reports from Dr. E. W. Thwing, special secretary of the reform bureau, who has been sent to Shanghai by the bureau to attend the opium conference.

Dr. Thwing will ask the conference to take action that will hasten the destruction of the opium traffic throughout the world. Dr. Thwing says he has obtained statistics from four Chinese provinces with a population of 580,000 in which he says the proportion of the population using opium is from 20 to 30 per cent., and the amount of money spent for the drug is $200,000,000 a year.

President Roosevelt called the opium conference at the suggestion of Bishop Brent of Manila, and delegates have been appointed by China, Japan, Siam, Persia, Russia, Germany, France, Great Britain, Italy, Holland, and the United States.

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GIVES A.B.C. OF FORESTRY.

Gifford Pinchot Turns Loose Annual Report.

Cost of Maintaining National Parks Little.

Is About One and One-half Cents an Acre.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Listing receipts and expenditures and explaining them in plain English much as a railroad president reports to his board of directors, Gifford Pinchot, forester, has just made a retrospect of the work of the United States Forest Service for the fiscal year 1908.

For the administration and protection of the 182 national forests in seventeen States and Territories and Alaska, the government spent $2,526,098.02, or about one and one-half cents an acre. Permanent improvements, including the construction of 3400 miles of trails, 100 miles of wagon roads, 3200 miles of telephone lines, 550 cabins and barns, 600 miles of pasture and drift fences, 250 bridges, and forty miles of fire lines cost $592,169.19. Telephone wire to build approximately 400 miles of additional lines was shipped to the forester, but with the funds available before the close of the year the work of construction could not be completed. Some of this work was done on each of the forests in the United States.

Although many needed improvements could not be undertaken, the benefits of what has been accomplished are seen in the more convenient and economical manner in which the forest officers are enabled to carry on their work and in the opening up to forest users of territory hitherto inaccessible. The remaining $297,840.49 of the total of $3,416,107.61, disbursed on account of work of the forest service was used in forest investigations costing $235,855.14, and in diffusion of forest information and Federal coöperation.

SOME COME BACK.

The forest service is one of the branches of the government where everything is not outgo. Last year the receipts from sales of timber, grazing fees, and permits for special uses of forest resources amounted to $1,842,281.87, an increase of $271,222.43 over the 1907 figures.

In addition, the national forests yielded heavily to the public in free use. There were 30,714 permits granted for the free use of timber by settlers, schools and churches, during the year, against 37,390 in 1907. The number of board feet used in this way by the public amounted to 131,582,000, valued at $168,720, compared to 62,000,000 feet, valued at $75,000 in 1907.

The aggregate of free use of the forests for grazing cannot be exactly known, since no permit is required to be taken out, and there is therefore no record preserved. It added perhaps 10 per cent to the amount of stock carried by the forests. Settlers living on or adjacent to the forests, and prospectors, campers and travelers in them are allowed to graze free up to ten head of milk cows, work animals, or horses in use, and purchasers of timber and stockmen on the forests are given the same privilege for the horses needed in their work. In Arizona and New Mexico milk goats to the number of thirty may be grazed free in place of milk cows.

THE WORKERS.

At the end of the last fiscal year, when business was heavier than at any other time during the year, the 182 national forests were cared for by an executive and protective force of 29 inspectors, 98 forest supervisors, 61 deputy supervisors, 33 forest assistants, 8 planting assistants, 941 rangers, 521 forest guards and 88 clerks.

The average area to each officer theoretically available for patrol duty was 116,665 acres. But more than three-fourths of the time of these forest officers is now required by the fast-growing volume of national forest business, so that in point of fact the force on duty at the close of the year provided about one patrol officer to each 500,000 acres of forest.

This is considered inadequate for protection of the forests. Until provision is made for a large increase of force it is necessary either to curtail the business arising from use of the forests or to neglect the proper safeguarding of government property against fire.

Experimental broadcast sowings were made during the year in 27 forests, in the States of Idaho, Montana, Washington, Oregon, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and New Mexico. The total area sown was 131 acres, of which 47 were in the Black Hills national forest.

MILLIONS OF TREES.

About 700,000 trees were planted last year on forests in the States of Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, Idaho and California. There are now growing at the planting stations over 2,200,000 trees which will be ready for planting in 1909. Sufficient seed was sown in the spring of 1908 to produce 4,600,000 seedlings.

Besides administering the national forests, the forest service renders, on request, expert advice and assistance to other parts of the executive government regarding the practice of forestry. Work of this kind was carried on in several military and Indian reservations in various parts of the country. Coöperative State forest studies were carried on with Kentucky, Mississippi, New Hamphire and Illinois.

INDIVIDUAL PLAINTIFF.

Identity of Complainant not Yet Revealed in Government Criminal Libel Suit.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The latest suggestion regarding yesterday's sensational developments following the service of subpoenas on newspaper correspondents in this city and elsewhere, is that an individual and not the United States government, is the real plaintiff in the case. It is true that the subpoenas served here read "The United States vs. the Press Publishing Company." But in the proposed action is criminal, as is generally assumed to be the case, that would be the form of a subpoena even where an individual is the complainant, according to the practice in the District of Columbia.

The identity of this individual or individuals is purely a matter of speculation, for the public will have to await the issue of the promised statement of Atty-Gen. Bonaparte.

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COUNTRY JEALOUS OF "BRER POSSUM."

From Seattle to New Orleans Arises Cry of Indignation at Place Assigned Marsupial by Mr. Taft—Many Gastronomic Gems Named to Beat it.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seattle would like nothing better than to have the opportunity to cater to the gastronomic tendencies of President Taft. If he should come here a list of delicacies distinctive of the city will be placed before him that will make Georgia possum look like the proverbial 30 cents.

First, they will give him the original Olympia oyster cocktail with copper flavor, then they will follow with an entree of deviled dungeness crab, and finally send him to a bed of nightmare with salmon bellies cooked in cream, a dish that is more delicate than the name indicates. For an eye opener in the morning they will give him a baked apple such as took the first prize in London, and Portland, Or., would give him the world-famous crawfish.

"GO 'WAY POSSUM!"

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Possum and sweet 'taters ennay taste good to President-elect Taft in Georgia, but wait until we get him down in old Kentucky along about Derby Day in May, and he will stick his teeth into some meat that will make him forget Georgia possum," said A. T. McDonald, president of the Commercial Club, today.

"We are making preparations for an old-fashioned Kentucky barbecue. Gus Jaubert will prepare some blue grass Southdown mutton in his own style, accompanied with jowl and greens and Kentucky hoecake as a side dish. For a starter, though, we will have plenty of Ohio River falls salmon, to say nothing of some real old bourbon as an appetizer.

"I will venture that the genial President will remark like the good old southern darky said when he was introduced to a piece of real Kentucky barbecued lamb: 'Go way possum, you done lost your taste.'"

OSHKOSH FROGS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OSHKOSH (Wis.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Oshkosh people are determined that when President-elect Taft visits this city, of which there is now a fair likelihood, he will be dined in a manner which will forever banish the "possum and 'taters" of the South. Frog's legs from the celebrated Oshkosh frog farm, delicious squabs from the preserves, and lastly, black bass from Winnebago Lake, which is reputed to be the most toothsome as well as the gamiest fresh-water fish in the country, will form but a part of the feast.

BEAVER'S TAIL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Perhaps the rarest delicacy of the Rockies will be served to Judge Taft if he visits Colorado this summer as has been planned. The tail of a beaver, caught in the highest altitudes and cooked under the direction of one of the half-dozen old-timers who know how to prepare the odd viand, will be offered as Colorado's tribute to the Presidential palate.

Many persons suppose beaver flesh inedible, but old-timers say that there is nothing so toothsome as the peculiar paddle used by the little animal in building its submerged home, if prepared properly. The secret of cooking the tail is closely guarded, as are the beavers under the State law, but both will be waived if the President visits the State.

HAM, AND CORN PONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RICHMOND (Va.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A big mess of "chitlin's," corn pone and Smithfield ham will be the homely but altogether satisfying meal which Richmond would give the President-elect should he visit this historic city. There is a great art in the preparation of chitlings, and there is also a greater art in consuming the delicacy, but from reports of the bon vivant who will occupy the White House, Richmond believes he will be just as able to enjoy the "chitlin's" as Virginia cooks are to prepare them.

CORN! CORN! CORN!

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Taft will be invited to attend the National Corn Exposition to be held in Omaha next December and the gastronomic repertoire to be spread for him in event Jaubert will prepare corn bread made from corn ground by Miss Jessica Bassack, head of the domestic sciences and woman's department of the exposition, who "cooks corn in three hundred and one different ways."

"Cream of corn, Philadelphia scrapple, corn on the cob, journey corn, corn salad, corn muffins and cornstarch pudding," said Miss Bassack, "will all be on the list of delicacies offered the President. But Philadelphia scrapple is our specialty."

CRAB GUMBO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President-elect Taft having already signified his intention of visiting New Orleans either on his way to Panama or on the return trip, accompanied by Philip Werlein, banker and manufacturer, the cooks of the Crescent City, casting about for some dish that will supplant 'possum in the estimation of the head of the nation.

New Orleans is famed for crab gumbo, spaghetti and Creole coffee. The man on his first visit here is always introduced to the quaint cafés in the French market district as something characteristic of the old régime that is fast passing out.

There is much ceremony in dining on spaghetti, according to the custom prevalent in the foreign section of the city. One must provide for reservation ahead of time, and come in personal contact with the "creator" of the dish to be enjoyed to the full. A floor covered with snow white sand is a very necessary adjunct, as is the marble-topped table.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seasonable weather was enjoyed here today. The sun shone at times, but it was not strong enough to spoil the skating on the lagoons in the various parks, nor the toboggan slides. Thousands of people turned out to enjoy the sports. The maximum temperature was 31 degrees with a minimum of 25.

Temperatures recorded at Central Western points follow:

Alpena, 20; Bismarck, 20; Cairo, 28; Cheyenne, 34; Cincinnati, 28; Cleveland, 26; Davenport, 26; Denver, 28; Des Moines, 24; Detroit, 28; Devils Lake, 10; Dodge, 30;—Dubuque, 26; Duluth, 10; Escanaba, 18; Grand Rapids, 28; Green Bay, 30; Helena, 46; Huron, 14; Indianapolis, 28; Kansas City, 26; Marquette, 12; Memphis, 32; Milwaukee, 26; Omaha, 28; St. Louis, 28; St. Paul, 22; Sault Ste. Marie, 14; Springfield, Ill., 28; Springfield, Mo., 28; Wichita, 28.

ALKALI PETE TOO POPULAR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Popularity is responsible for the downfall of "Alkali Pete," Idaho "Cowpuncher" detective of the Federal beef investigation. His striking figure was much in evidence in the Federal building during the past two weeks and Dist.-Atty. Simms admitted today that he had been transferred to other fields with the remark that the Federal secret service man's usefulness is ended when he becomes a popular idol. "Alkali Pete" was originally a ranchman in Idaho. He became Sheriff in that State and was known to be a quick man with a gun. He afterward became government secret service operator and was brought to Chicago to assist in the investigation of the packing industry. It might be all right to hide behind boulders in a cañon but when such a strange-appearing person hides behind a pillar in the Federal building and takes a peep at a man he is shadowing he is bound to attract more or less attention. Such was the case with "Alkali Pete."

DEATH CONVINCES DOUBTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CAPE GIRARDEAU (Mo.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John Rombouts, pioneer Missourian, could not be made to believe his wife was dead until led to her coffin last night and shown. Then he died from the shock.

He was deaf and weak from senility. His wife, who had lived here sixty years, died a week ago.

BIG GAS EXPLOSION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OTTAWA (Kan.) Jan. 17.—An explosion that was heard for six miles put the Kansas Natural Gas Company's pipe line which supplies natural gas to Lawrence, Topeka, Leavenworth, Atchison, Kan., St. Joseph, Mo., and intermediate points out of service early today. Natural gas users of the towns affected found trouble in preparing meals and keeping warm today. The explosion is believed to have been caused by high pressure.

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INDIANS THRIFTY.

Agent John Gostin is in Douglas from the new home of the Kicking Kickapoo Indians, in Eastern Sonora, about 130 miles southeast of this city. With a grant of $200,000 received by them from the United States government, in settlement of land rights in Oklahoma, the Indians have acquired a 20,000-acre tract along the Bavispe River, most of it well suited for agriculture.

Some land has been cultivated already, but much more will be worked as soon as water is turned into a large irrigation canal, now under construction. In the near-by mountains is an abundance of game, and the river is well stocked with fish, so the Indians find the natural conditions little short of ideal. They are living in tents, and have resumed the life that suits them best, for in Oklahoma they were ever struggling against the demands of civilization. This section of the tribe numbers about 150. The larger part of the tribe still remains in Oklahoma, and the two divisions seem to have been permanently separated.

CAMP GROWING.

Two stage lines are now running from Douglas to the new copper camp at Courtland, furnishing daily service. The camp now has a population of about 600 men, and is growing rapidly. A townsite is being graded, and will be offered for sale as soon as an adequate supply has been developed. At present water is being supplied for the settlement from wells three miles away. Grading on the new railroad from Douglas has been started on the Courtland end, nearly 100 men being at work with teams and scrapers. Now that the value of the Courtland copper has been established, trouble has begun over titles. One suit already filed in the District Court involves the ownership of the New Year group, and eight other claims in the group, close to the new camp of the Calumet and Arizona Company, a large number of "jumpers" have been at work lately. As an effect of their lack of discrimination, relocations have been made by less than twelve sets of individuals of which Emmett and Elgin claims, now owned by the Kendall Mining Company of Kansas City, The latter is rather pleased with the action, for the claims are patented and there is no danger whatever, while the "jumpers" have done some valuable development work by sinking fifty-foot "discovery shafts" on the ledge outcroppings, all at no expense to the owner.

Grading camps are operating on the line of the Yaqui River Railroad, now up toward Nacozari, on the line between Douglas and Guaymas.

When A. A. Dudley, a real estate agent, suddenly left Douglas a number of attachments were levied upon property which stood in his name. It had been found that a number of pieces of the property levied upon were the purchasers had failed to have the deeds recorded as required by law. Investigation has developed the fact that this carelessness is common in Cochise county. In that in the County Recorder's office lying many deeds unrecorded for lack of payment of necessary fees.

Before Becker, the Douglas clerk, could have run away from Honolulu, where years ago with the wife and children of Charles H. Brown, absconded with any criminal complicity in the affair. He says that Brown's wife got a divorce four years ago, and Becker, instead of being a millionaire, as reported, was a penniless clerk at that time. The woman went to work, according to report, to earn her own living, and married her about six months later. Becker claims to own valuable mining property in the State of Sonora, Mexico, and says that the reason Brown had followed him to Douglas was because he learned that the woman had expectations of marrying Becker, and could not explain why he had gone back to California without her, but believed she would return to him.

Just across the New Mexico line below Hachita, Frank Hall was murdered by James M. Lee, a man whom he had employed to assist him in driving a herd of cattle. The deed was done by Kendall with an ax, as Evans lay asleep. Lee, who was arrested next day, but was arrested next day at Hermanas. He has been in the insane asylum and is undoubtedly insane.

LAND ENTRY HALTS.

DELAY FOR COMFORT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 17.—Although no official announcement regarding the matter has been made by the Secretary of the Interior, it is extremely improbable that Fort Yuma Indian reservation will be opened for entry until

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INDIANS THRIFTY.

Captain Goetlin is in Douglas from the scene of the Kicking Kickapoo raid in Eastern Sonora, about 120 miles southeast of this city. With a reward of $1500 received by them from the United States government, in settlement of land rights in Oklahoma, the Indians have acquired a 20,000-acre tract on the Bavispe River, most of which is good for agriculture.

Much has been cultivated already and much more will be worked when water is turned into a large irrigation canal, now under construction. The mountains is an ideal one for mountains is an abundance of game, and the river is well stocked with fish, so the Indians in their natural conditions little short of luxury. They are living in tents, and do not like that suits them better than is Oklahoma they were ever given the demands of civilization. This section of the tribe numbers about 250. The larger part of the band still remains in Oklahoma, but two divisions seem to have formed a permanent separation.

COPPER GROWING.

Copper mines are now running and ore is going to the new copper camp of Douglas, furnishing daily service. Douglas has a population of 4000 and is growing rapidly. It is being graded, and will be on sale as soon as an adequate water supply has been developed. Development water is being supplied from wells three miles distant, reading on the new railroad which has been started on the road bed, nearly 300 men being employed with teams and scrapers. Much depends upon the value of the Courtland mines, which have been established, trouble having arisen over titles. One suit is pending in the District Court involving ownership of the New Year group, close to the new camp, and Arizona Calumet and Arizona claims. A large number of "jumpers" are at work lately. As an instance of their lack of discrimination, claims have been made by twelve sets of individuals on the Elgin claims, owned by the Kendall Mining Company of Kansas City. The latter is rather pleased with the claims are patented and there is no danger whatever, while others have done some valuable work by sinking fifty-foot "discovery shafts" on the claims, all at no expense.

Mining camps are operating on the Yaqui River Railroad, and toward Nacosari, on the Cumpas. No move has been made by the Southern Pacific company between Douglas and Nacosari.

A. A. Dudley, a real estate dealer left Douglas a number of judgments were levied upon property stood in his name. It was found that a number of pieces of property levied upon belonged out of Dudley's possession, the purchasers had failed to have the deeds recorded as required by law. Investigation has developed the fact that this carelessness is common in Cochise county, and in the County Recorder's office many many deeds unrecorded for lack of payment of necessary fees.

Register, the Douglas clerk, has come from away from Honolulu ago with the wife and family of Charles H. Brown, absconding city criminal complicity charges. He says that Brown's wife left four years ago, and that instead of being a millionaire, was a penniless adventurer. The woman went to work, according to Register, to earn her own living, and has been back about six months before Brown claims to own valuable property in the State of Sonora, and says that the woman followed him here. Register has learned that expectations of profit from a share in an enterprise did not explain why the woman came back to California but believed she would marry him.

Just across the New Mexico line at Hachita, Frank Hutchison was murdered by James M. Wilson, a man whom he had employed to help him in driving a herd of cattle. The deed was done by Kendall as soon as Evans lay asleep. Wilson was arrested next day at Separ. He has been in custody and is undoubtedly guilty.

CAN'T FIND ANY GOOD.

All Actions of Belmont Heights Trustees Condemned by Citizens.

BELMONT HEIGHTS, Jan. 17.—A meeting of citizens was held this afternoon at the Fourth-street school to discuss the Trustees. Resolutions were adopted condemning the board for failure to keep promises, for expensive litigation, for the introduction of ridiculous and useless ordinances, and by allowing liquor privileges in the town. The meeting also indorsed the disincorporation petition, which will be submitted to the board tomorrow night, with the verified signatures of sixty-four legal residents. Should the board attempt to delay an election mandamus proceedings will be had.

READY FOR SOLONS.

LEGISLATURE CONVENES TODAY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Jan. 17.—The twenty-fifth Arizona Legislature will convene tomorrow. Politically the council is composed of ten Democrats and two Republicans. The House has seventeen Democrats and seven Republicans. Organization Democratic of course.

George W. P. Hunt of Globe will be made president of the council; John Robinson, Prescott, chief clerk; Mulford Winsor, Yuma, assistant chief clerk. The House organization is tied up thus far between Fred Sutter, Cochise county, and Samuel F. Webb, Phoenix, for Speaker. Minor offices depend on issue of this contest. Caucus is blocked pending arrival of tardy member from the north.

LABOR.

MINE HORRORS ON INCREASE.

LAST YEAR'S RECORD GREATEST IN HISTORY.

New Year, Scarce Three Weeks Old, Begins Badly With Two Disastrous Explosions in Which Many Lives Were Lost—Science Fails to Find Safeguard.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Jan. 17.—The year 1908 was marked by more mine horrors, and by more loss of life under ground than any other year in history.

And the year 1909 scarcely three weeks old apparently is going after 1908's record. Only last Tuesday 100 lives were lost in an explosion in a model mine near Bluefield, W. Va., and on the Sunday before death exacted another heavy toll in the Leiter mines at Zeigler, Ill.

"Science," says a mining engineer today, "has not yet solved the problem of preventing the formation of gas. We recognize three kinds of mine gases—the fire damp, after damp and white damp.

"Fire damp is the only one of the trio that is explosive. It is a gas given off by coal under the influence of the heat of the earth. When Davy invented the miners' safety lamp, it was thought that all danger of mine explosions was over. The lamp has the flame surrounded with a metallic screen which does not permit the passage of the flame. But the screens burn out after long usage and miners grow careless.

"Sometimes, too, a careless miner will 'tamp' his shot or blast with paper instead of clay. The result is that a flame shoots up and if there be any gas around an explosion is inevitable."

MISSING GIRL FOUND.

Miss Charlesworth, Believed to Have Been Killed in Auto Accident Discovered in Scotland.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Jan. 17.—Miss Violet Gordon Charlesworth whose mysterious disappearance a short time ago, caused great excitement because of her remarkable career, and her intimate association with extensive stock deals, has been found and identified at Oban, Scotland.

It was reported that Miss Charlesworth, who lived with her parents in Bogera, St. Aspath, Wales, was killed while automobiling in the neighborhood of Penmaenmawr with her sister and a chauffeur about two weeks ago.

The young woman was said to have been hurled over the seawall.

SOCIALISTS START RIOT.

DRESDEN, Jan. 17.—A socialist demonstration today in behalf of electoral reform led to a serious riot in which twenty persons were seriously and at least 100 slightly injured.

LOCAL TRAVELERS.

Los Angeles People Who Are Registered at Hotels in Other Cities.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at New York hotels: Wolcott, W. R. Hilit; Wellington, J. E. Hayden; Park Avenue, M. Cheesman, D. Holmes; Grand Union, L. D. Culley; Woodstock, I. D. Spitz, Mrs. W. H. Bennett; Park Avenue, G. W. Ritchey, Mrs. G. W. Ritchey, Pasadena.

IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at Chicago hotels: Auditorium Annex, R. W. Vincent, J. T. McNeeley, W. P. Cyncmuller, Thomas O'Neill, Victoria, S. M. Myers; Stratford, G. H. Brale; Great Northern, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Ortner; Palmer House, G. A. Skinner.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The following Los Angeles people are registered tonight at the St. Francis Hotel: T. A. Graham, William Knight and wife, W. G. Barnwell, Frank R. Willis, F. V. Gordon.

THREATENING.

FLOODS HALT BUSY SOLONS.

Delay May Seriously Hamper Legislation.

Danger That a Quorum Will not Be Present.

Stalled Trains Hold Back Many Persons.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 17.—On account of the floods in the American, Feather and Sacramento rivers, there is some danger that a quorum will not be present in either branch of the Legislature tomorrow. The Senate adjourned Saturday to meet Monday at 11 a.m., the Assembly 11 p.m., and a majority of the solons went home for the week end.

Besides the delay to legislators, many persons who expected to arrive in time to appear before various committees have experienced difficulty in getting into the capital and unless the early trains tomorrow get through without mishap, legislation may be at a standstill.

HEARING IMPORTANT.

One of the most important hearings of the coming week will be a joint committee investigation of the Islais Creek bill introduced by Senator Welch, providing for the appropriation of $1,000,000 for the condemnation of sixty-three blocks of inundated land in the Potrero district of San Francisco for the erection of warehouses and the construction of docks.

Besides the numerous commercial bodies, a large number of private interests are on the qui vive, and will have delegations on hand to combat various sections of the bill, and to offer amendments. Senator Welch said tonight that there was some talk of taking the committees to San Francisco to go over the ground, but that he did not think such a trip would be necessary. There is every indication of a bitter fight over the bill.

George N. McRae, representing the ship owners association, suggested to both committees that they journey to San Francisco to determine whether or not the report and recommendations of the joint committee on harbors appointed by the Thirty-seventh Legislature should be followed. This proposes to place in the hands of the harbor commissioners the power to improve the shipping facilities as fast as the harbor revenues will permit and that any bonds voted to be used in improving the present water fronts.

Against the recommendations of the harbor commission the friends of the Islais bill will muster all of their strength and Commissioner Stafford also is expected to appear before the committee to explain his position.

Some of the private interests, such as lumber, propose that land owned by them in the district to be condemned be left in their possession to be improved as planned before the Islais Creek project was advanced, and when the State wants it to give it up under condemnation proceedings without unnecessary delay.

According to some of these interests it would be fifteen or twenty years before the property would be wanted by the State.

STRAIGHTEN TANGLE.

Senator Welch holds that the theory that condemnation proceedings would not be necessary, advanced yesterday, is incorrect owing to an old grant by which the government relinquished title. The straightening out of the tangle will require lengthy sessions of the committees. Senator E. O. Miller and Atty.-Gen. Webb will confer tomorrow night concerning the Stetson Railroad Commission Bill introduced into the Senate.

Miller wants the Attorney-General to include some direct legislation in the commission measure, rather than give entire power to the body itself. He will endeavor to induce Webb to make his reciprocal demurrage bill part of the commission measure, and is willing that there should be a clause inserted which suspends penalties for terms of thirty and sixty days when conditions are abnormal.

A score of delegates to the convention of the State Good Roads' Association, which will indorse a bill to be introduced in the Legislature, arrived on late trains today. The directors had planned for an attendance of several hundred, but owing to the delay of traffic, not more than fifty are expected to appear. The directors will meet Monday morning, consult with the Governor later in the day and set an hour for the convention to open in the Chamber of Commerce.

Their bill calls for the appointment of a State Highway Commissioner and the improvements of highways already built that may be turned over to the State in satisfactory condition. The association consists of about ten thousand farmers and business men in all parts of the State.

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WANT TO COME.

WOULD MAKE HARBOR FLEET HEADQUARTERS.

Naval Lieutenant Inspecting Local Facilities for Target Practice—New Order for Officers to Ride Horses or Bicycles.

THERE is every probability that Los Angeles and its harbor at San Pedro, will soon become a center of great naval importance. With the fortification of San Pedro, as provided for by Congress, it will quickly be made a naval base as well as a military headquarters.

But even before the great guns are mounted on Point Firmin, it is possible that the harbor will be alive with the smaller warships of Uncle Sam, and the official headquarters for the torpedo branch of the service be established here. This will mean much for Los Angeles, San Pedro and Wilmington, while Long Beach will also reap the benefit of the torpedo station.

Due to recent orders from the Navy Department certain facilities are demanded by the fleets, which will make of Los Angeles and its natural harbor an ideal headquarters for the torpedo and cruiser "squadrons of the sea." The destroyers and torpedo-boats are the "rough riders" of the ocean, and among their accomplishments the men must be competent as marksmen. Every man must qualify, is the present order, as a sharpshooter.

But there are few ranges in Southern California where this can be done. The rules of the department now call for records made with small arms at 600 yards. This means that the men of the torpedo flotillas will be continually in practice to keep up with the requirements. At Los Angeles is the best rifle range in Southern California, the State range near Eastlake Park.

INSPECTS RIFLE RANGE.

Yesterday Lieut. William J. Moses of the cruiser Albany, flagship of the three torpedo-boat flotillas, who was formerly executive officer of the battleship New Jersey, visited this range in company with Capt. E. J. Louis of the State Naval Militia, on the staff of Gov. Gillett, and Lieut. Alonzo H. Woodbine, in command of the Seventh Division of the State Naval Militia. He was very much pleased with what he saw.

"The range appears to be in every way fitted for practice by the men up to 600 yards," said Lieut. Moses yesterday. "There is only one drawback, and that is the question of transportation from the harbor and back. The department has not allowed any money for this expense."

But Capt. Louis and Lieut. Woodbine, in connection with the Chamber of Commerce, hope to obviate this difficulty by arranging with the Pacific Electric or Interurban lines, for a special car to carry back and forth the sharpshooters. If this can be arranged it is one more strong argument for the coming of the flotillas.

At present the men of the fleet are forced to be content with practice on a range with a limit of 300 yards, or only one-half the distance prescribed by the rules. At this range there is one lonely butt and only one man can shoot at a time.

ANXIOUS TO COME.

Commander W. S. Benson, commander of the Albany, and ranking officer of the torpedo flotillas, is anxious to get his men at work, and should all arrangements be satisfactorily made here in connection with the use of the State range, no time will be wasted in making representations to the Navy Department advocating a change of naval base to San Pedro.

Of the 325 men on the Albany 180 of them are in line for practice at the butts. In case the range at Los Angeles is used these, and the men from the torpedo-boats, would be brought to the grounds in squads.

The officers of the torpedo fleet are reported to be almost unanimously in favor of a move to San Pedro and Los Angeles. They want the whole fleet here. At present the fleet is made up of the cruiser Albany, Commander Benson, equipped with ten five-inch guns and ten three-pounders; nine destroyers and four torpedo-boats.

All the torpedo men like San Pedro harbor; also they are firm believers in the waters of this part of the Coast for torpedo practice. Recently the torpedo boat Perry secured permission to make its official practice trials in the channel off San Pedro, and the announcement is now made that it has won the trophy in its class for the United States navy.

All the returns are not yet in, however, from the craft which went to Magdalena Bay to practice, but the indications are that the Perry will hold the trophy. The new Bliss-Leavitt torpedo was used in practice and it is the first time a trophy has been won with this terrible engine of destruction.

GREAT ADVANTAGES.

Not the least advantage, from a commercial point of view, for bringing the fleet to San Pedro will be the monetary returns. The railway lines running to San Pedro and Long Beach will benefit tremendously by the transportation of passengers and freight, the merchants of Los Angeles and San Pedro will be gainers in a large measure, for the pay roll of the fleet is about $75,000 a month; then there are the supplies which will be called for.

Altogether the stationing of the fleet here will be of benefit in many ways. Social circles will have excuse for many entertainments, Los Angeles will have a wider advertising, its harbor will command respect as a completed enterprise and the naval recruiting station here, in charge of Lieut. Olmsted, will make a still better record than that which has surprised the Navy Department.

It was asserted last evening that the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association will join in advocating the establishment of naval headquarters at San Pedro.

BRONCOS OR BIKES.

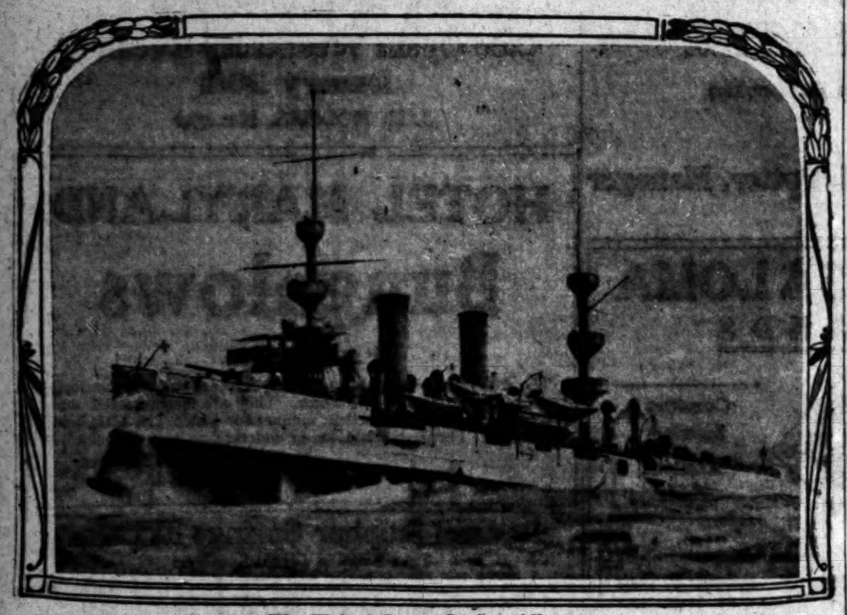
But there is another order from the Navy Department which is causing more comment among naval men than the sailing of a dozen fleets. It is one establishing a certain form of land exercise by the officers of the navy which tends to make a mere landsman open his eyes in wonder.

Hereafter every naval officer will have to show his ability, either as a pedestrian, a rough rider or a bicyclist.

He has a choice. He must, at least once a year, walk fifty miles in twenty hours of going; ride on horseback ninety miles in the same time, or he can go 100 miles on a bicycle.

There are no bucking broncos in the navy and the gentle nags of Los Angeles will be in demand.

The idea back of this latest order of the Navy Department is for the officers of the navy to demonstrate their physical fitness, and those who cannot fully carry out this mild test will probably be retired, and thus permit of more rapid promotion in the service.



The United States Cruiser Albany,

flagship of the torpedo fleet, which may make its headquarters in San Pedro Harbor. The Albany carries an armament of ten 5-inch and ten three-pounder cannon and 325 men, and is in command of Commander W. S. Benson.

Lieut. William J. Moses,

of the U. S. cruiser Albany, who inspected the State rifle range in this city yesterday for use by the men of the torpedo fleet.

PERSONAL.

D. H. Collins, a tourist from London, England, is a guest at the Lankershim.

William M. Dawson, Mrs. L. Dawson, and Mrs. Catherine Brady of Martins Ferry, O., are passing a few days in the city, guests at the Lankershim.

J. Guthrie, an official boiler inspector from San Francisco, is registered at the Hayward.

Mr. and Mrs. Nugent and Miss Smith of London, Eng., are at the Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davis of Goldfield, Nev., who recently returned from an extended European tour, are guests at the Alexandria for a few days.

Mrs. C. B. Crawford and Miss Crawford of Kentucky, Mrs. A. D. Hyatt and D. H. Hyatt of Toledo, O., and J. B. Green of Manila, P. I., are late arrivals at the Lankershim.

James Carruthers of Montreal, Can., who is visiting points of interest along the Pacific Coast, is passing a few days in this city, a guest at the Lankershim.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Porter of Washington, D. C., are registered at the Hayward.

W. H. Watkins, a tourist from Vancouver, B. C., and F. S. Morris and W. H. Hurlburt, business men of Portland, Or., are registered at the Alexandria.

H. P. James, a Colorado mining man, and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Byrne of Chicago, are guests at the Angelus. Mr. Byrne is a banker.

Mrs. John McClung, Mrs. C. F. Kirschler, Miss Kirschler and Miss H. Watson form a party of wealthy Pittsburgh ladies who are passing a few days in the city, guests at the Van Nuys.

Mrs. Donald Backer, a well-known resident of Santa Barbara, is a guest at the Van Nuys. Andrew Robson, the actor, is also registered at the Van Nuys.

H. F. Johns of Lake City, Minn., who is traveling through the West, is here for a few days, a guest at the Westminster. M. W. Van Sent, a banker from Dayton, O., is also registered at the Westminster.

E. B. Gage of Tombstone, Ariz., is a guest at the Van Nuys. H. Lawrence Read of London, Eng., is also at the Van Nuys. He is making an extended tour of the West.

Charles Sutro of San Francisco is registered at the Westminster.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Crossley of No. 320 South Alvarado street, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Charles S. S. Forney, will leave Monday for New York.

Lee A. McConnell and wife have just returned from a thirty-days' trip through Old Mexico. Mr. McConnell says that while he enjoyed the wonders of this new, yet old country, its many ruins and wonderful old cities, he returns to Southern California fully satisfied that this is the garden spot of the earth.

C. A. Campbell, land and industrial agent of the Soo-Pacific line, with headquarters at Minneapolis, is visiting his father, J. A. Campbell, of No. 816 Waterloo street.

Manager John Mitchell of the Hollenbeck telegraphed to friends in this city yesterday from El Paso, Tex. He expects to reach home the last of the week. Accompanied by Mrs. Mitchell and his daughter, he has made an extensive tour through Mexico. On his way home he is visiting some of his old friends.

E. E. Jones, a prominent oil man of Bakersfield, is registered at the Hollenbeck. Dr. D. O. Keadly of Seattle is passing a few day in the city, and is also at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. Alfred Swenson (Lolie Palmer,) who appears this week at the Mason, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

GAS HEATER AGAIN.

Hotel Lodger Enters Bathroom, Closes Door and Window, Then Faints. Rescued in Time.

Harry Fumely, a roomer at the Ranier Hotel on South Broadway, narrowly escaped gas asphyxiation yesterday, while taking a bath. Fumely entered the bathroom, closed and locked the door and window; and then lighted the instantaneous heater.

While waiting for the tub to fill Fumely says he began to feel faint. Unmindful of the fact that the heater was consuming the oxygen in the room Fumely continued to undress. As he fell forward in a faint the landlady heard the noise.

When the door of the room was forced open Fumely was found on the floor partially dressed and apparently dead. Police Surgeon H. B. Wiley was summoned, and Fumely was resuscitated. At a late hour last night he was reported out of danger.

PROSPECT JOYLESS.

New Quaker Governor of Kansas Balks at Idea of Living in Executive Mansion.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch. There was a time in the history of Kansas when its Governors would have hailed with joy the prospect of living in the $80,000 mansion that now adorns "Governor's Square" in Topeka. No such feeling, however, wells up in the breast of Gov. Stubbs or the members of his family. The new Governor and his wife and four children are occupying the Executive Mansion, where they went last Monday and received the keys from the retiring Gov. Hoch, but it will be only a temporary and, spasmodical arrangement.

There are several reasons why the Stubbs family balk at the idea of living in the mansion and entertaining political friends. The principal reason is they do not like that kind of life. Mrs. Stubbs is distinctly a home woman.

The Stubbs are strict Quakers and that organization has a large membership at Lawrence. As the Quakers have no organization in Topeka, the Governor and his family will spend their Sundays among their old friends and neighbors at Lawrence.

IN SPITE OF "PULL."

NOTORIOUS GAMBLING DEN RAIDED AT LAST.

Police Forced to Check Boldness With Which "Suckers" Were Led Into Apex Club to Be Fleeced—Fifteen Arrested, Three Escape.

THE Apex Club at No. 118½ South Spring street, organized by "Eddie" Morris, a "bosom friend" of Mayor Harper, and operated with the full knowledge of the police, was raided late Saturday night, in an effort to curb the boldness with which gamblers led "suckers" into the place and "fleeced" them.

Fifteen gamblers were arrested. As many members of the club, who were not engaged in the games, were not molested. The men taken into custody obtained bail and were not humiliated by incarceration.

The raid was made because so many complaints were made to the police by those who were "trimmed" in the games.

While the gamblers were waiting in the police station to be bailed out, three of them slipped out of the front door and their disappearance was not known until the arresting officer checked up his list.

Several calls were received by Lieut. Williams over the telephone, requesting him to make things as easy as possible for the "boys," and give them the lowest bail possible. The amount required was $250 for each of the proprietors of the place, and each man conducting a game, and $ 0 for each player. After Morris had brought all the influence to bear that he could to get the prisoners released on their own recognizance, he went out in search of money. In the course of his conversation with police officials he asked them to call up the Mayor and find out if it was not all right to let the gamblers go.

EVIDENCE DISAPPEARS.

In allowing the men to loiter about the station, the police lost some valuable evidence. The chips which the prisoners had in their pockets were "ditched" and carried out of the station by the first men released on bail. Morris secured the necessary money from saloons, cafés, hotels and politicians.

A faro layout, two poker tables and a "Black Jack" board were confiscated in the raid, besides a bushel of chips, dozens of packs of cards, liquor and cigars. There was $1000 gathered up from the gaming tables. Of this amount $356 was claimed by George Bentley, who is interested in the club with Morris, as his personal property. It was given to him, and he immediately turned it into the bail fund.

Before the police had been inside the clubroom two minutes "Eddie" Morris, who was seen leaving the place a few hours before, was notified. He went at once to the Police Station. He requested Lieut. Williams to make the bail as low as possible. The last gambler was given his liberty at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

The raid was conducted by Detectives Berchtold and Oker, with the assistance of James A. Bean, patrolman who was appointed last week. Bean had not the slightest difficulty in gaining an entrance to the club. When he walked up the stairs and rang the bell Harry Douglass, the guard, opened the door, and not knowing Bean as a police officer, admitted him. He was conducted into the largest room, which is furnished elegantly, and fitted up for three games. One poker game and a game of "Black Jack" were in progress. Bean sat down at the "Black Jack" table and purchased $2 worth of checks from Albert Kennedy, a dealer.

DOORS FORCED OPEN.

After he had been playing about ten minutes, Berchtold and Oker rang the bell. Douglass recognized the officers when he opened the door and attempted to close it again but Berchtold prevented it. The detectives forced the door of the poker room and ordered the terrified gamblers to keep their seats. The players were on the right side of the room, while club members were lounging about, reading papers and magazines, and smoking and drinking.

The patrol wagon was called and the paraphernalia put into it and taken to the storehouse, where it is held as evidence.

In one room, furnished nicely in dark green with glazed electric lights, was a faro layout. There was no game in operation Saturday night, as it is only opened when there is a "bank roll" worth going after. Another room, furnished in a similar manner, was vacant. Here, it is understand, the gamblers work a "crooked" roulette wheel, when a "sucker" can be found.

The furniture in all the rooms is expensive and the sideboard is well stocked. According to bills found in the room, liquor is purchased in wholesale quantities.

PROMINENT MEN ON LIST?

The club was organized under a charter on March 1, 1908. A membership fee is charged under the charter and a list is posted in the hallway by the proprietors. This list was found in the raid but the names are fictitious. Those who did not give the name "Jones," wrote "Smith," "Jackson," "Brown" and "Oswald." It is said that some of the signers are prominent business men.

George Bentley, alias Thomas Collins, and Ralph Cotton, alias Joseph Cunningham, who are interested in the club with Morris, and who were arrested in the raid, are known to the police as gamblers. They were taken to the Police Station about a year ago by Detectives Murray and McNamara. Capt. Flammer ordered them released.

When they were first arrested, "Eddie" Morris appeared in their behalf. He vouched for their character and told the police that they were not in the gambling business. Within two months the Apex Club was opened.

Bentley and Cotton conducted gambling houses in Salt Lake for several years. They were obliged to leave that city and went to Nevada, where they operated in mining camps. They came to this city more than a year ago. Bentley has a beautiful home at No. 1155 Vermont avenue and Cotton lives at the Portsmouth Hotel, at No. 516 South Hill street.

T. C. Tilley, known as "Butch," who gave the name of J. E. Dixon, is a "stool pigeon" for the police, it is stated. He has been in consultation with Ingraham and Carroll, detectives, several times, since he has been connected with the gambling "joint."

Among the names given by the men taken into custody are James Henry, James Dunn, Thomas Greig, J. Dewitt, Edward Franklin, W. F. Wilson, Harry Douglass, Joe Figueroa, I. N. Willey and George Henderson.

RAILROAD RECORD.

HARRIMAN IS BLUFFING HILL.

WALL STREET'S IDEA OF LAST MOVE IN WAR.

Announcement That He Has Ordered Thousand Laborers to Work Paralleling Colorado Southern Is Thought to Be Effort to Force a Traffic Agreement With Rival.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Harriman is bluffing Hill," is the way Wall street looks upon the announcement that Harriman has ordered the engineering department of the Union Pacific to throw 1000 laborers into Northern Colorado to begin paralleling the Colorado Southern recently purchased by Hill.

For months there was active buying in Colorado and Southern in Wall street, and nobody knew just what it meant. Then it was rumored Harriman was trying to get control of the road. Right after this rumor came the announcement that Hill had gained control.

This, of course, would mean that all the Colorado and Southern transcontinental traffic would be forced over the Hill lines, meaning great loss of business to Harriman interests.

Now comes the announcement from Denver that Harriman has ordered his forces to commence work at once building a parallel line along the route covered by the Colorado and Southern, which would nullify the value of the Hill purchase.

Wall street does not believe this building is actually contemplated, although Harriman might actually start 1000 men or so actively to work. The idea of this "bluff" would be to force Hill into a traffic agreement. However, those close to the Harriman interests maintain that should the "bluff" fail, Harriman is just the man to carry the fight out to the bitter end.

HELPING THINGS ON.

FARE AND A HALF.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—The Committee on Arrangements of the National Tariff Committee Convention which meets here February 14 to 18, announces that the railroads have given a fare and one-half for the round trip to the convention. As a result the attendance will be large.

REDUCED RATES.

THOUSANDS COMING.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—After lively discussion among Western railroad lines over a period of three months, the reduced colonist rates to California for the coming spring have been adopted, the initiative being taken by the far western and California roads. A rate of $25 from the Missouri River to the Coast finally has been agreed upon, which is $5 lower than the rate in effect last year.

E. O. McCormick, assistant traffic director of the Harriman lines, estimates that the unusual low rates will bring 50,000 people to California this spring.

OBITUARY.

Gen. George Van Schaick.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Gen. George Van Schaick, U.S.A., retired, died suddenly at his home here today. He was 82 years old.

TOPEKA IN THE DARK.

TOPEKA, (Kan.) Jan. 17.—Topeka has been without gas since noon today. The supply began to diminish about 11 o'clock, and warning was telephoned over the city by the gas company that by noon the supply would be exhausted. A promise has been made that early in the night it will again be turned on.

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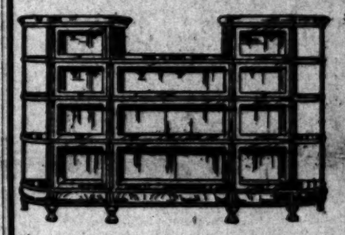

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ALL NATIONS WILL ASSIST.

Unique Bazaar to Open This Week Here.

Proceeds to Sufferers from Italy's Earthquake.

Quaint Costumes and Dishes Will Be There.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the opening of the Bazaar of All Nations at Turner Hall, Thursday night, under the direction of the Liberal Alliance. The fair is for three days and the proceeds will be devoted to the relief of the Italian earthquake sufferers.

The programme for Thursday night will include vaudeville numbers and musical selections. The Royal Italian band will assist. Among those to take part are: Miss Rosa Mercadante, a vocal solo; Miss Elsa Grosser, violin solo; the Misses Rosa and Louise ..., guitar and mandolin duet; Billy ..., a son of minstrel fame, a sketch; Miss Rosa Zecca, vocal solo; C. Portolano, John Enchelli and G. Camusi, in an Italian comedy sketch; Mrs. Marguerite de Poliette, a Spanish song, "La Alhambrina;" D. E. Jones, formerly of ...

Some girls in the Bazaar

Royal Opera, Copenhagen, vocal ...

Other attractive features will be added and the booths and stalls will be duly decorated. Friday and Saturday afternoons will be set aside for the school children and special invitations are sent to every school in the city, urging the presence of the pupils. Their contributions will be used for helping feed and clothe the starving and suffering children in Italy, who are without home or adequate shelter.

The young women assisting the Alliance are in a generous rivalry in ... the nationality booths, which ... the customs, attire and wares ... various races represented. The ... Hungarian and Italian colonies of the city are making great preparations for their booths and are securing brilliant costumes to be worn by pretty attendants.

THOSE TAKING PART.

Among the young women assisting ... French booth, the Misses Angela ..., Martha Blanchard, Zelle Gri... 2036 Humbert and Alice Im... Dutch, the Misses Boonia Dykhuis... Bertha von der Plaats and Mar... Mexican, Mrs. Del Arco, ... Misses Annie Bruce, Lupe ... Rosa Mercadante, Stella ... and Myrtle Gonzales; German, ... Minna Moriock, Elanore ... Anna Schaefer, Rose Matthias, ... Anne Herberger, Anna ... Else Eisterstedt, Irma Kern, ... Sommer, Edla Dorflinger, ... Bode, Lena Pfirman. Twelve Italian girls will represent that nationality. Other nationalities to be ... are Hungary, Denmark, ... and Japan.

Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association has indorsed the plan for ... funds for the Italian sufferers, many of the merchants have consented all kinds of goods, which are to be sold from the booths.

... feature will be a Chinese ..., where noodle soup, chop ... and other delicacies will be sold by ... waiters. Frank Donner ... in charge of an American section, ... cigars and cigarettes will be sold.

FAVORITE DISHES.

... German restaurant will be conducted by Miss Eliza Mueller, where ... favorite dishes of the Fatherland will be served by dainty girls in ... costumes. The Italians will have a reproduction of a wine room ... Italian inn. Refreshments peculiar to that portion of Italy will be ...

... candy stand will be conducted ... the old-fashioned style of old Mexico, pretty girls will be in charge ... under the direction of Mrs. M. G. Gonzales, and Mrs. Fernand Parmentier ... have an elaborate French booth where delicacies can be obtained. ... Lopstich will look after a Slavonian restaurant. ... Egyptian seer will tell fortunes in an oriental tent and there ... all sorts of guessing games, ... contests.

... Society of this city ... provide many unique attractions ... have a booth where Japanese ... will be on sale.

... members of the charity believe ... residents of this city will attend in large numbers and that a ... sum will be realized for the ... sufferers. The bazaar will ... at the most unique ever held ... it will be especially attractive to tourists.

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MORE SUBSCRIBTIONS.

Sympathizers With Earthquake Sufferers in Italy Continue Sending Help Through "The Times."

The urgent call of the poor Italian sufferers is still being responded to by the charitable residents of this city. Contributions keep coming to The Times and the fund is growing larger each day. Yesterday's additions totaled $42; previously reported, $1462.25. The amount to date, including the subscription of The Times-Mirror Company, is $2462.25.

The latest contributions are:

The Angelus University	$10
F. J. Kruell	10
Mrs. Annie Fowler	5
D. A. Wagner	5
Mrs. F. M. Clark	5
A friend	2
A lady	2
J. C. Lanning	1
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Total	$42

GUN AT HIS HEAD.

Japanese Awakes to Face Ugly Pistol and Is Compelled to Open Strong Box.

Awakened from his sleep by a slight noise in his room, J. Komai, who, with his brother, H. T. Komai, keeps a rooming-house at No. 112 South Rose street, faced a revolver in the hands of a negro early yesterday morning. Komai was ordered to dress himself and "come." He followed the negro downstairs, where he found a white man awaiting them. Komai was ordered to open the safe.

When the safe was unlocked the white man secured two gold watches, $296 in cash and currency and some valuable papers. He pocketed the loot, and then [illegible] Komai to go back to bed.

The police were notified soon after the robbery and were given a good description of the burglars. Officers believe the negro and white man are responsible for several bold burglaries, as most the jobs, where roominghouses have been entered, are similar in method.

POSTMASTER A SUICIDE.

Short in His Accounts He Goes Into Hills and Shoots Himself—Leaves Note to Son.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEARCHLIGHT (Nev.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. J. Kennedy, postmaster at this place, committed suicide Saturday afternoon after his office had been examined by an inspector, and a shortage of $522.08 discovered. Kennedy left the office while Inspector W. G. Swain was checking up. He went direct to his home, where he secured a gun. One or two parties met him making for the hills east of town, and remarked that he was in his shirt sleeves.

When Kennedy failed to return to the office a search was instituted, but it was not until this morning about 10 o'clock that his body was found near the Rambler shaft of the Quartette Mining Company. On the body a note was found addressed to the dead man's son, Melvin Kennedy, assistant postmaster, signed "Dad," and which read:

"Forgive me for the injury I do you. I did not know I was short until the first of the month. I tried to raise the money, but could not, good-by."

Only the profoundest sympathy is felt here for the deceased, who was well liked, and who could have easily made good the shortage had he confided to any one of his many friends.

PIONEER DEAD.
KILLED HIMSELF

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BOISE (Idaho) Jan. 17.—A Coroner's inquest held today at the isolated and snow-covered cabin of Beno Salvo, the eighty-year-old trapper and miner, found dead Saturday near Idaho City, and probably the first white man to explore what is now Idaho, revealed the old man had shot himself with a rifle he had carried for many years. He had run a pencil through all the January dates on his wall calendar up to and including the 9th, which was probably the day of the suicide. On a slip of paper he had scribbled the words: "Very sick," and below them "Crazy."

He left his belongings, including his gold dust, to miner friends. A sister and brother reside somewhere in California.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Cooper Trial Wednesday.

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) Jan. 17.—Charged with murdering former Senator Edward W. Carmack as the result of a newspaper attack, Col. Duncan B. Cooper, his son Robin, and former Sheriff John D. Sharpe will be brought to trial Wednesday.

Southern California's leading horticultural industry, the growing of citrus fruits, is described by an expert in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

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CRITICAL.

FIGHT HOT ON CHAMBERLAIN.

ORMSBY M'HARG IN PORTLAND WORKING HARD.

Counter Fight Declared by Friends of Governor Who Threatens Use of Recall If He Is not Elected at Tomorrow's Session—Is Only Candidate.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SALEM (Or.) Jan. 17.—Oregon's Senatorial situation is attaining a critical phase. With the ballot to be taken Tuesday, the Republican opponents of Gov. George E. Chamberlain, a Democrat, are striving to induce enough pledged members to break their obligation to prevent Chamberlain's election. Ormsby McHarg, late of Chicago and South Dakota, is in Portland conferring with the Republican leaders.

A counter fight is about to be declared by Republicans supporting Chamberlain. They have announced that they will invoke the recall on such members as violate their pledge to Chamberlain, and also on the leaders in the Legislature, who are organizing the fight against the Democrat.

Unless the Senator is elected Tuesday, the petitions for the recall will be circulated Wednesday. The recall plan is attended to by W. S. U'Ren, father of the many advanced ideas which Oregon has adopted. As yet the opponents of Chamberlain have been unable to agree on a Republican as a candidate.

PILOT [illegible] WILLIAM J.

"Peerless One" Now Has Guiding Hand on Nebraska Legislature. Pushing Favorite Policies.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The hand of William J. Bryan is on the Nebraska Legislature, but it will not be laid heavily on the members if they carry out his wishes concerning the four paramount issues confronting the lawmakers of this State. These four questions, in the order of their importance are: The guarantee of bank deposits, selection of United States Senators by direct voice of the people (the Oregon plan;) physical valuation of railroads of the State, and taxation accordingly, and changes looking to improvement in the present State law providing for publicity of campaign contributions.

The Democratic members of the Legislature, who are in control of both houses, will probably do as Mr. Bryan asks. There may be some opposition, and an occasional stubborn negative vote all the way through, but in the end he is pretty certain to have his way. All these demands were made a part of the national Democratic platform, and they were reiterated in the Nebraska declaration. Mr. Bryan has other views on State affairs, which he would like to see enacted into law, but he will not be insistent.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 17.—The real fight for the election of United States Senator from Illinois will be begun Tuesday, when both houses of the Legislature will take separate ballots on a candidate. If nobody is elected the houses will meet in a joint Senatorial session Wednesday. In this event a majority of both houses, or 103 votes, is required for election.

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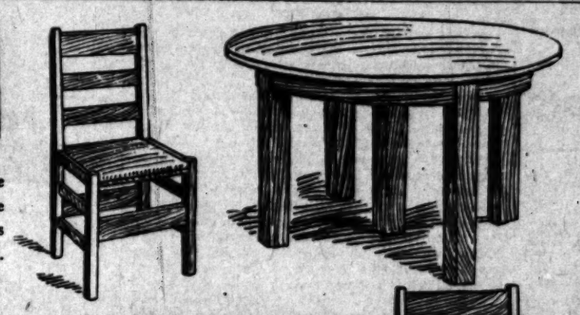

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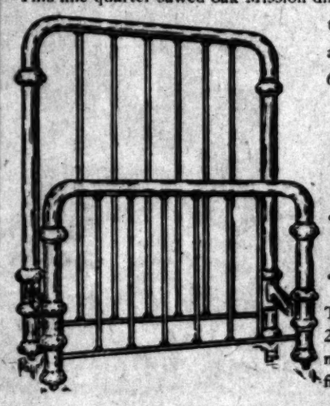

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Editorial Pen Points

Virtue is its own reward and vice must furnish its own protection.

Mr. Carnegie actually gave away $100,000,000 last year. That's more than some people made.

The dispatches prove that California has a river or two that can act like the real thing on occasions.

Col. Roosevelt went into the White House like a lamb seven years ago, but he will not go out that way.

The only thing we can see to do with Prince George is to hand him a shickersnee and let him go to it.

Senator Tillman says he is not the worst man in the world. That's true, but it doesn't help matters much.

Let us pray that this awful railway disaster in Colorado does not mean the beginning of the usual epidemic.

France has 7,000,000 real estate owners, which almost equals the number of real estate agents in Los Angeles.

Probably the reason that Mr. Rockefeller intends to write plays is that he wants to get to be as rich as George Ade.

One reason why we hear so little about the Italian disaster now is that the Red Cross has taken the situation in hand.

There is a report that natural gas is to be brought to St. Louis. It seems that Mr. Bryan can't keep away from that town.

It would be difficult to say whether or not Mr. Taft has made a bigger hit with married women than with the old maids.

Doubtless it will be just as well if the public prepares itself to hear a daily howl from Senator Tillman for some time yet to come.

"The Supreme Court on gas pressure," reads a headline in a Chicago paper. Isn't that working those old gentlemen pretty hard?

The man whose business it is to teach each incoming President of the United States the ropes will have an easy time of it this year.

Mr. Edison's storage battery is positively promised for this year. In the meantime the price of gasoline remains at the usual figure.

Perhaps a war would really prove beneficial to Europe. After a few campaigns there would be fewer soldiers for the people to support.

It may be true that the Merry Widow hat is going out of style, but the Merry Widow herself will continue to be in the swim as heretofore.

The wonder grows that the public pays out so much money for amusement while there is so much amusement that can be had for nothing.

The newspaper portraits show that the Servian Crown Prince has the Caesarian fighting nose, but our advice to him is to keep his nose out of the fight.

Judging from the weather reports we take it that the most talked of person in the East at the present time is a well-known character called J. Frost.

It looks to us as though Prince George of Servia is a good deal more eager to lead his countrymen to war against Austria than his countrymen are to follow.

The public is charitable and usually inclined to be lenient, but it can never forgive a United States Senator who made the government pay the freight on his typewriter.

Speaking of the dinner in Atlanta, the Georgians doubtless felt that it was worth while to go for a man who looks as though he has known what good dinners are like.

We are uninformed as to the extent of Mr. Taft's musical talents, but it is safe to say that he is now in a position to recognize the tune of "Dixie" whenever it is played by the band.

If Abraham Lincoln were living instead of dead on the coming one hundredth anniversary of his birth, what tenor would some of the speeches assume? The guess is open to all.

It seems like nothing so much as the greatest irony that the Kaiser should have been gagged just at a time when there are more things to talk about than there have been for years past.

If we were in Yuan Shi Kai's place we believe we would let the blamed old peacock feather go and settle down somewhere on a nice quiet farm. There is really nothing in politics anymore.

Notwithstanding Mr. Taft's assertion that a woman is just as well off if she does not marry, women will still continue to look for desirable husbands and to grab them when they can.

The news comes from Atlanta that the one thing in the United States of America that is buried deeper than anything else is a certain sinister old garment once known as "the bloody shirt."

Mr. Rockefeller indignantly denies the charge that he wants the earth. He is probably willing to allow other people to have the Dakota bad lands and a few abandoned New England farms.

We should think that Yuan Shi Kai would beg the powers to desist from the efforts they are making to put him back into office. Things would not be any too pleasant for him under such circumstanc

HOW SHALL THE CITY COUNCIL BE ELECTED?

Few if any of the projected amendments to the city charter are more important than the one bearing on the election of members of the City Council. At present the Councilmen are nine in number, one from each ward, nominated by the voters in the wards and elected by them. Amendment No. 2 proposes that all these nine Councilmen shall be nominated by the city at large and so elected. If the direct primary is put in motion there will be no way to even make an attempt at any ward representation in the Council. The effect of the new plan will be such that all members of the Council may come from a single ward. In all probability they would all nine come from at most three or four wards. Some of the proponents of this new plan say openly that the plan that we now work under is objectionable because certain parts of the city are able to send representatives to the Council, and that under their plan, if put in operation, the objectionable people who live in these objectionable wards will be debarred from having any voice in city affairs. Passing over the pharisaism manifest in this way of putting the question we say the plan would be unfair and dangerous.

There may be objections to the present ward system; we think there are, and that the faulty results should be made impossible; but we think the defects can be healed without creating a modus operandi which would be worse than our present system, with all its objectionable features.

The best plan would be to have fifteen Councilmen instead of nine, the six additional members to be nominated and elected without reference to ward or other boundaries, with one nominated and elected from each ward as now—that is, nine ward Councilmen and six Councilmen at large. If the Council is all nominated and elected at large, there are parts of the city which will never be represented. The prejudices against the Seventh and Eighth wards are so many and so strong in Silk-stockingdom that the people there would never have a voice in city affairs. The people of these wards would be taxed without representation, and that is not American. The Ninth Ward is not a populous ward, nor do the people there live in houses as good as those out Westlake way or on West Adams street. They would be lost in the proposed shuffle of the political cards as sure as votes are votes. See how that would work? This ward had voted money for sewers to be built in that part of the city. An energetic effort was made to divert this money elsewhere, and there is no room to doubt that had the ward not had a representative in the Council the fight would have gone against the people who live there and injustice would have been done.

If we have a Council of fifteen, one from each ward and six at large, we shall guard against the evils of other systems. Then with Councilmen to speak for all classes of the people and on the rights of all sections of the city, there will be six to balance things and see that ward representatives could not form combines by which the general interests of the city are sacrificed for the sake of gratifying sections. The six representatives at large would effect all that the proposition for having all the Councimen named at large could effect—while with the ward Councilmen also in the body the demands of each ward for improvements would receive due attention and be properly championed.

The device projected by a few Municipal Leaguers for an "all-at-large" Council is a silk-stocking scheme, originated for the purpose of giving over the control of the Council to a little coterie of men living in one part of the city. It is unfair, unwise, not carefully thought out, but as selfish as the greed of any fat and arrogant octopus. It should be defeated, and will be. The plain people of the plain wards will not surrender their right of representation to a crafty little clique of intolerant self-seekers. Lower downs, as well as "higher ups," Jews and Gentiles, purists and "liberals," all sections, all degrees, all levels of society should be voiced in the city government—not merely one class.

DEVELOPMENT IN CANADA.

The Dominion of Canada is planning railway construction for the current year calling for the expenditure of $90,000,000. This amount is represented by contracts already entered into, or plans already confirmed, the money being in hand. It seems that last year the Canadian railway construction amounted to 1248 miles, and that there are at the present time 4327 miles under construction.

This railroad building represents long-distance lines as well as short "feeders." Great efforts are being made by the Canadian railway people to furnish carrying facilities on a larger scale between the two oceans, and also to get into closer touch with freight and passenger movement in the United States. Saturday morning we were informed of the "Soo Line" having made arrangements to enter Chicago directly.

These facts concern us materially. Canada is developing at a rapid rate. Every step of progress there means increased business between the various sections of the United States and the Dominion. Whether we do the carrying trade or the Canadian railroads do it, the business is done. Our producers, both farmers and manufacturers, dispose of their goods or obtain raw material or finished products needed by us, and thus the pulses of trade in our country are quickened.

WITHIN THE VEIL.

Touch humanity where you please in time or space, notions of possible communication between spirits and men persist. No people were ever found who did not hold to some belief in an intercommunication between the dead and the living. The "Boxers" in China faced rifle bullets, secure in their faith that the spirits of their ancestors would put the "foreign devils" to rout. American Indians for centuries clung to the hope that the dead of untold ages would come back from the "happy hunting grounds" and drive the last of the "Pale Faces" from the country. The ferment in Asia now rests on the belief that some time those who have gone within the veil will return in spirit and fight that Asia may again belong to Asiatics. These are faiths that cling in the minds of men and that only scientific intelligence can dispossess of their hold.

The cruder the religious faith of an age or race, the grosser the form of this belief in spiritism. Most religions regard the future world as a material one, and the future of our race as material. The Indian buries the weapons of the dead with his body; he will need them behind the veil. The Chinese set food by the grave. The departed will feed on it in secret. Mormons conceive the Deity to be material. The next state of man will be material. The followers of the Koran have about the same views.

The Christian's God is the first conception of a being "without body, parts, or passions." But most Christians still expect their bodies to rise from the dead and to dwell immortally in the resurrected flesh. The founder of the Christian church rose from the dead and dwelt among living men for forty days thereafter, and then ascended into the skies before their eyes in bodily shape. He showed the wounds in his hands and side. He partook of material food, according to the gospel of one eyewitness.

The Christian churches have at all times held to a probable connection between the dead and the living. The hope is entertained that this touch may be a conscious one on the part of those who have been freed from the fetters of clay, although only subconscious or even less definite on our part. Outside of gross superstition, which comes down to us from crude ages and persists in spite of experience, this is the only form of spirit intercommunication

JUST A LITTLE OVERSIGHT!

thought possible between those inside the veil and us who are outside still.

The other form of spiritism which seeks a conscious communion between the living and the dead is not modern. There never was a time nor a place when it did not exist in some form, more nor less pronounced. The age in which the Christian church was founded was marked by a very lively manifestation of this conception of the human mind. The writers of the scriptures, both Old and New, have no doubt that the closest connection between the two worlds is possible, and that men in the proper frame of mind may be conscious of the intercommunion.

But all that came in a very different form from the converse sought by modern spiritism. Throughout the Bible, whenever the veil was lifted and God Himself, His angels, or the spirits of departed human beings came to pay a visit to this earth, they bore a message as to how we should live in this present world, and almost invariably that message concerned moral conduct. It seems assumed that as to affairs of the earth, purely earthy, man was endowed with sufficient wisdom and ability to guide his course. Modern spiritism is totally different in its conceptions and aims. Its efforts are in the direction of bringing spirits from within the veil back to earth to hold converse with us about the affairs of the day. Their alleged communications, either through a medium "at so much per sitting," or through Sir Oliver Lodge and his Society for Psychical Research, all cover such trivial affairs. It is not the serious things of life here which they seem interested in. A baby with a rag doll is more useful for companionship than "a ghost come from the grave to tell us" something we ought to know better for ourselves.

There is every reason to believe that there is a constant subconscious intercommunion between the two worlds. This is known in the historic branches of the Christian church as "the communion of saints," a very inspiring and helpful thought to us in our gropings. We rest here at the foot of the "great world's altar stairs that reach through darkness up to God," and why may we not hear whisperings of welcome from those who have reached the top?

DEADLY RIGHT OF DEADHEADS.

Italy, the land of passion and earthquakes, the home of romance, the sepulcher of magnificence, has another title to fame. It is the defender of the deadhead, as much as England is defender of the faith. It is meet and right that this should be the case, for it was from Italy that we got the title "deadhead," people who received free admission to the Roman entertainments in early days getting metal disks with a death's head upon them.

Trombetta, a Neapolitan singer, is evidently a direct descendant of one of the ancient deadheads. In addition, he is, according to his own account, a man of immense talent and world-wide reputation. Somehow or other we do not appear to have heard of him in Los Angeles, but that is beside the point.

This wonderful operatic star was given four "billets de faveur," or free tickets, for the Scala music hall, and he took his wife, another brilliant artist on her husband's showing, his mother-in-law and brother-in-law. At the box office he said: "I am Trombetta, give me the best seats." But the ticket man unaccountably seemed not to know who Trombetta might be, and gave him the four worst in the house. The great man complained to the manager, but the latter couldn't recall the singer's name and supported the action of his subordinate.

Arguments of various kinds ensued. Trombetta, his wife, his mother-in-law and his brother-in-law all tossed language at the same time that the manager and his clerk indulged in it. Soon other servants of the music hall joined the throng, and there was a regular conversazione.

Neapolitan spirits will out, not only by way of mouth, but in other directions, so Trombetta smashed a mirror with his walking stick. He carried a cane to sustain his eminence, and unluckily this stick hit a very valuable glass. The manager, the ticket seller, the ushers and all the rest of the music-hall employés fell upon Trombetta, and then Signora Trombetta, her mother and her brother fell upon them.

In the thick of the fight, Signor Trombetta, catching sight of the ticket seller grappling with the signora, drew a revolver and shot the unfortunate man dead. It is a journalistic ethic that any male who is shot is an "unfortunate man." So he is.

But Trombetta waits us. He has just been tried. He introduced a huge volume of testimonials and clippings to prove his "universal reputation," and also to show what a great artist his wife was. She was a great artist when he married her, he adored her, and she was a great artist still, he pathetically informed the court. And to think that he and she, and her mother and brother had been given four of the worst seats in the house by that miserable, that unfortunate ticket seller. Sacra! It was too much.

This evidence, as well as more offered by the defense, seemed rather irrelevant. Persons who had tried to get into music halls with "billets de faveur" swore that they had always been given the worst seats in the house. That fact seemed to stick in the crop of the Italian jurymen, while at the same time the loveliness of the adored signora affected their heart beats. So, apparently considering that the offense of giving a distinguished (so he says) deadhead, his wife, his mother-in-law and his brother-in-law four bad "stalls" was punishable by death, the jury found the Signor Trombetta not guilty of the murder of the ticket seller.

And thus the right of the deadhead to either a good seat or to take the life of the box office man was triumphantly upheld. There are times in this country when otherwise harmless citizens would like to murder theater ticket sellers, but we don't advise them to follow the example of the magnificent Trombetta. Despite "dementia Americana," a jury in this country might not acquit them. Moreover the majority of Americans are not deadheads.

OLD YEAR AND NEW BUSINESS.

Annual business reviews by the mercantile agencies now coming to hand are very encouraging. Taking the last quarter of 1908, it seems that the defaulted liabilities per firm in business were $29.46 as compared with $38.79 in the third quarter, and $53.38 in the first. The defaulted liabilities per thousand dollars of bank exchanges were $1.09 in the fourth quarter, $1.69 in the third, and $2.62 in the first. Credits are now granted with much freedom, and there is an increased inquiry for leading staples in primary markets, for immediate delivery as well as for future.

The Iron Age gives statistics, showing that at the first of the year the weekly capacity of the iron mills was 400,894 tons, a satisfactory increase from 381,102 tons December 1, and a handsome increase over the record of June 21, when the output was 259,284 tons. Taking this increase as indicative of what will be done during the current year, it suggests an output of 20,800,000 tons increase over last year. Inasmuch as iron is supposed to be the real index of business activity or stagnation, these figures certainly are cheering.

The Auto on Cow Crick.

The dood who bought the Two-Bar ranch last fall
Has got a bronk that feeds on gasoline,
And he's ben takin' her in that machine
And my cayuse ain't in the game at all;
It makes a man feel mean, and mighty small,
When he slicks up, and dons a necktie green,
And then he meets her comin' like sixteen,
And one swift nod is just the cowboy's haul.

It seems some tough, when I, who up and rode
Old Steamboat, at the Cheyenne buckin' show,
Have got to give way to that Two-Bar boss;
O, Fate, you sure have packed me with a load—
A rival who would fall off—and I know!—
If he should try to ride a rockin' hoss.
—[Arthur Chapman, in the Denver Republican.

HOROSCOPE.

Monday, January 18, 1909.

BY COZETTE.

Strong the tides of commerce thrill.
For the gambler flow they ill.

The moon is in trine with Saturn and in square with Jupiter on this eighteenth day of the year. Mercury is in a benefic aspect.

A day of great promise, especially for the material and worldly affairs of life.

Business of all kind should prosper exceedingly in this period. Great undertakings will be begun under bright auspices.

Beware, however, of quarrels, particularly in the morning.

Avoid speculation. The signs are for the positive things, not those of doubtful fate. There is a sinister shadow over the path of the gamester.

Press hard on all affairs. Push business buoyantly. Begin new trades or enterprises.

Open new offices or shops. Sign writings, send forth circulars and advertise what thou hast to say.

Travel. Sell. Go abroad in the land. Handle gold and silver.

Hire men for office or shop this day.

Social intrigues should be avoided carefully by women with this birthdate.

Quarrels or lawsuits will do harm to men with this birthdate. Let them avoid angry decisions. Those in employment are in danger from giving way to jealousy of a fellow-employé.

Children born this day will probably prove headstrong and somewhat rash. Girls should be trained to patience and self-restraint. Boys will have hard struggles in business if they do not cultivate self-control.

Snap Shots.

[From the Dallas News.]

Anybody can fool a woman if she wants him to.

The man who gets out of debt quickest is the one who goes in shallowest.

The average young man's investment in society consists of investiture.

Isn't it possible to do any sort of good work without more money?

Funny Name.

Office Boy: Dat caller's got a funny name.
Editor: Oh, he left his name, did he?
O. B.: Yessir. He said it wuz Immaterial.—[Cleveland Leader

EDUCATIONAL WORK.

Nineteen millions of pupils of all classes were enrolled in the public schools of the United States a year ago, according to statistics in the annual report of the Commissioner of Education, Elmer Ellsworth Brown. The expenditures for education of all grades, public and private, during the year in this country amounted approximately to $442,000,000.

An entirely new system of physical training has been installed at the Naval Academy, the distinctive feature of which is to give each man an opportunity an isolated test as far as possible. In all there are about sixty separate tests under the system, which indicates the muscles of comparative weakness and strength with much greater accuracy and ease than the physical instructors to advise the proper forms of exercise necessary in any particular case.

A peculiarity in our English language has been pointed out by a foreign linguist. This time it concerns the use of the pronoun "I." He says the Frenchman writes with reference to himself, and makes 'je' (the French equivalent of 'I') with a small 'j.' So with the German, who never hesitates to begin every noun, but he always uses a small 'i' in writing 'ich.' The Spaniard avoids as far as possible, the use of the personal pronoun when writing in the first person, but he always writes it 'yo,' taking pains, however, to make the Spanish equivalent of our 'you' with a capital. In English it is surely big 'I' and little 'you.'

The Lawrence Scientific School connected with Harvard University will this year begin the change of methods that will make the school a preparatory institution for the higher branches of scientific research. This change will be made possible by the receipt of a million dollars from the Rockefeller request.

President Hall of Clark University believes that boys should be allowed to grow up as real boys, on condition that requires more male teachers in the schools. Boys, he says, "should not become so feminesticated and sissified. There is something wrong with a boy of 14 of whom it can truthfully be said that he is a perfect gentleman. Boys need a little roughness. They need to give way to boisterousness. Children in these days are petted too much.

Minnesota's University has fixed the age of 70 for the retirement of the members of its faculty. At that age they will step into a Carnegie pension which they find much superior to a dose of chloroform, says the St. Paul Pioneer Press.

The oldest university in the world is at Nankin, China, and is called the "School for the Sons of the Empire." Its antiquity is very great and a complete register, consisting of stone columns, still is number, contains the names of 60,000 graduates.

Congealed, Then Spanked.

After allowing themselves to be shut up for several days by a little snow, like a bunch of bedraggled chickens in a coop, the people of Portland are beginning to move about again. It is astonishing with what a paralysis a little snow can strike our people. They huddle up at home and cuss the milkman and the postman, if they should be a little late, and the Oregonian's carriers, though yet they haven't energy enough to shovel the snow off their sidewalks, or even off their front steps for days together. But they are beginning to get out a little again. If this weather should last for a week or six weeks it would help them mightily. The stuff in our people, but it takes fire to make it go. Snow, however, will do as well. Only don't hope that snow doesn't come often enough. The people are not snowed up—in their own country, anyhow—like the Swiss. There are disadvantages in living in the pineapple belt. There was snow in Portland consequently, before it became the rose city.—[Oregonian.

Quaker Meditations.

[From the Philadelphia Record.]

A pair of spectacles are also looking out on life.

Even the seamy side of life may not be so bad as it seems.

Do the people who never have a doctor always keep well?

Most of us believe in eternal punishment for our enemies.

The man who makes his money in trade does not always rise in the social world.

You don't have to go to a Turkish bath to see a plunger develop into a sponger.

When a woman says no she may give a negative answer in a positive manner.

The only time some people look pleasant is when the photographer tells them to.

It's hard for a girl to cultivate her wits and at the same time cultivate her neighbors.

"Maria's" Repartee.

This is how a driver of the prison van known as "Black Maria" distinguished himself. A would-be wit on the causeway hailed him:

"Got any room inside, Robert?"

"There's room for one," replied the driver, "if you keep' it for you."

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"What's your fare?" he asked.

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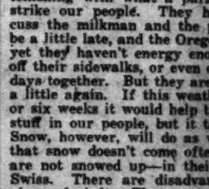

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Especial local interest is the production of "Cinderella," which will be given at the Auditorium tonight under the direction of Manager Crawford. It is said Mr. Crawford announces this year Mr. Crawford announces the production of a series of spectacles, consisting of a series of spectacles, consisting of the London pantomimes of recent years. It is said he has engaged a number of people who have been here as his principals, and has surrounded them with a large supporting company, which has been drilled for the production for a number of weeks past.

The production will set forth the story of Cinderella and her tiny glass slipper, the fairy godmother, her pumpkin coach and the royal ball at which she was discovered. As it has been told to children for many years, it is said, the production will be under the direction of Bruce Gordon Kingsley. Mr. Kingsley will exploit the resources of the Auditorium organ to their fullest extent, and in fact this will be the first occasion on which this notable instrument has been used in the full musical way which its construction makes possible. The substitution of the piano for orchestra is both novel and of interesting artistic possibility.

The costuming and scenery Mr. Crawford promises a complete and artistic production.

The spectacles will have an especial appeal to ladies and children, and in the matter of cleanness and cleanness will be the foremost feature.

Mrs. Baker's love tragedy of Japan, "The Heart of a Geisha," is current at the Burbank Theater, where it has been given an elaborate production and where it is pleasingly played by the stock company. The play, first seen in Los Angeles two or three years ago, is an admixture of "Mme. Butterfly" and "Camille." For its full understanding it is necessary to appreciate the Japanese point of view, which makes the calling of a geisha respectable, and, when understood, free from all motives of filial piety, even sacred. Naturally this proves a bit of a stumbling block for occidental audiences, but the character of Yuki San has been drawn with a realistic pen and though the feeling created is false from the occidental viewpoint, it is nevertheless consistent.

Mr. Baker, who is dramatic editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, was for several years a resident of Japan, and his play he has succeeded admirably in providing a Japanese atmosphere for his characters. There are many little touches, trivial in themselves, but which give the play a realism of the Orient; which make it realistic instead of fanciful. At times it preaches—the incident of the child in the fourth act is merely a sermon—usually he is conventional, but there are occasional flashes of originality and clarity; and there is always a delightful flow of dialogue that marks it as the work of a man of the theater.

In the final scene Mr. Baker has had the courage to give his play an abrupt ending, though here, too, the Eastern and Western viewpoints are different, for in Japan an audience prefers the ending of "The Darling of Omaha" a happy ending, though it sends the geisha girl to her death.

The story is the love history of a geisha girl, who, like Mme. Butterfly, falls in love with a young American, who, by the American Ambassador, has his release from his bonds and purposes to marry her. But his sister appears upon the scene, Kohamma San that is, and threatens will wreck her brother's career, and induces her to break with her love. This can be accomplished, she knows, in only one way: by turning the man's love into loathing. She goes about it in the manner of a samurai, bravely and with the spirit of sacrifice in her heart. She tells her lover that she has deceived him, that she loves her geisha girl, and returns to her old companionship. He, in his former mode of life; broken and suffering from his wound, embarks for America, and, after a fair acting career with Perris Hartman she is given a place to learn, and under the tutelage should advance to the stage as a star. She goes and full command of the various histrionic resources, patiently perseveres, patiently waits, and finally she has a great future. Little this week has the part of Worthington, in Richard Mansfield's "Tenderfoot." Her acting in this was spirited and her performance was marred slightly by the occasional breaks which put a little too much boy voice in her tones. Her costumes, too, were a disguise of the last degree pleasing.

Last night Mr. Hartman had to deal with a tough stage hand who, with a vulgar language in the comedian's wife, had quarreled with her with virile strenuousness, and finally fouled him with a blow on the thigh. Hartman played his part as usual that night, but this afternoon a muscular soreness developed and he went to bed. As a result, the part of the show yesterday,

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34-inch natural pongees, regularly $1.25, for $1; 26-inch width, regularly $1, for 85c.

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Mr. Kruschke in the Carle part of Prof. Zachary Pettibone was not at all bad, and toward the end of the bill, at the afternoon performance, attained a spontaneity in the handling of the typical Carle humor that was delightful.

Charles Arling, as Col. Winthrop, fills a manly part in a thoroughly manly manner. Walter De Leon, as the boastful Sergeant Barker, capers about in his usual nimble and effective comedy. Joseph Fogarty, who is one of the best character men any musical comedy company ever brought here, is ideal as "Honest John" Martin, the gambler. Josie Hart brings her finished ability to bear on Flora Jane Libby, the indigent authoress, and little Muggins Davies is pertly pleasing as Sally, the deceitful maid.

A show so thoroughly in the style of one man does not make an ideal stock bill, but it is handled in spirited fashion by Hartman's players, is set with excellent scenery, and is well costumed.

The Orpheum Road Show, the prize event of the vaudeville circuit's year, will open its local engagement with a matinée this afternoon.

At the Belasco tonight the perennial "Charley's Aunt" will be revived, with Dick Vivian and Howard Scott in the chief comedy roles.

Eugene Walter's play, "The Wolf," will be put on at the Mason tonight, with Andrew Robson in the principal part.

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THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 17.—[Reported by A. H. Wyllabee, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m., the barometer registered 30.06; at 5 p.m., 30.02. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 62 deg. and 68 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 51 per cent.; 5 p.m., 55 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 11 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Weather, 5 a.m., clear; 5 p.m., cloudy. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 55 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Rainfall:

Stations—	Past 24 hours.	Seasonal to date.	Normal.
Eureka	1.90	.....	20.91
Red Bluff	.06	12.87	12.11
Sacramento	.02	10.00	8.56
Mt. Tamalpais	.06	17.72	30.51

The storm off the Washington coast last night has moved rapidly eastward and now overlies British Columbia. It has caused rain from San Francisco northward. The rain was light in the Sacramento Valley, but quite heavy in the Sierra. At Summit, the rainfall was .82 inches in the last twenty-four hours and at 5 p.m. it was raining and there was a strong south wind. The pressure is rising along the entire coast and falling over the plateau and Rocky Mountain region. Warm weather continues in all districts and is causing a rapid melting of the snow in the mountains. Conditions are favorable for cloudy weather in California Monday, with showers from San Francisco Bay northward. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Monday, with showers; light southwest wind.

Santa Clara Valley and Sacramento Valley: Cloudy, with showers Monday; light south wind.

San Joaquin Valley: Cloudy Monday, probably showers in north portion; light south wind.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Monday; light west wind.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 19.05 feet.

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Large Crowd Watches Auto Events at Coronado.

Stearns-White Match Race Is Day's Sensation.

Rebuilt Flyer Makes Swift Mile Against Time.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One of the largest crowds that has ever visited the Coronado race track turned out today to witness Barney Oldfield lower the track record in the automobile races. No world records were made, Oldfield drove a mile in 0:57 1-5.

Oldfield in "Big Ben," and Gus Seyfried, in his stripped White Flyer, in the first semi-final heat of sweepstakes, were the day's sensations.

In a five-mile race Seyfried was defeated by Oldfield because of the dust rising in such a cloud.

The match between Seyfried and Oldfield was the event in which autoists all over Southern California are interested. The White Steamer was to race Oldfield on the Ascot track recently, but owing to an accident in which the machine turned turtle and was wrecked, the race could not be pulled off. It was agreed that the two machines should be raced at Coronado after the White was rebuilt.

C. A. Hawkins, who leads the White squadron, was confident of victory. When the two cars started Oldfield drew the pole and shot away into the lead, raising a cloud of dust through which Seyfried was compelled to drive. The White driver could not forge ahead of the fast Stearns, though he clung doggedly on for mile after mile. The two came past the grand stand for the first mile with Oldfield leading. He maintained his lead during the entire race, and finished with a small margin to the good. Seyfried kept the White Flyer wide open on the stretches, but was compelled to shut down on the curves for fear of colliding with the man in front.

Earlier in the day, in the three-mile event, single, Seyfried equaled Oldfield's time in one mile, but lost on the other two. The world racer Christie car, with Charles Soules as driver, was unable to show, owing to an accident Saturday.

SUMMARY.

First event, special three-mile race open to cars costing $3500 and less: Won by Earl Pfeiffer in a White Steamer; time 5 min. 4 sec.

Second event, Barney Oldfield driving "Big Ben," three miles; time 2 min. 56 2-5 sec. Fastest mile, 56 3-5 sec.

Third event: Exhibition by Gus Seyfried in White Flyer, distance three miles; time 2 min. 54 1-5 sec.

Fourth event: Novelty race, five miles, stops to be made to take on passengers and drop them, the last mile to be finished alone: Won by a White, time 9 min. 18 sec.; Tourist, second, time 9 min. 53 sec.

Fifth event: Five-mile race between Oldfield and Seyfried: Oldfield first, time 4 min., 56 4-5 sec. The second mile equaled his 1903 time in the Winton Bullet. Seyfried's time was not taken.

Sixth event: Special two-mile race for Sprockels' trophy, won by Stearns; time 2 min. 46 sec., R. Naylor driver.

Seventh event: Three-mile handicap, open to all cars: Won by White Flyer; time 3 min. 31 2-5 sec.

Alfred Shrubb,

the great English runner, who is to meet the best men in this country.

GIRLS' HOCKEY GAME.

Many Select Eastern Schools Permit Young Ladies to Live the Strenuous Life.

Hockey has become a popular game among the students of girls' preparatory schools, and colleges in the East, and the game is considered one of the best for the all-around development of young women. The undergraduates of many select schools have adopted the sport as one of their principal recreations, and hockey clubs have been formed for promoting inter-class and possibly intercollegiate games.

Battered shins are the only injuries that are likely to occur in girls' hockey but as the young women are equipped with shin-guards, there is practically no danger. In guiding the ball along the ground, driving, and trapping the ball, the girls have proved themselves very dexterous, and the game is very interesting from the spectators' standpoint.

Under the name of "shinny" the game has long been a favorite recreation with the "town-lot" boys in eastern cities. It is played on ice in all localities, but as a sport for girls it has only come into popularity very recently.

Three-Cushion Billiards.

Following the three-cushion billiard tournament that will begin at Henry Berry's Hoffman rooms on South Spring street next Wednesday, James Morley will present one at his Casino rooms during the week, beginning next Monday night. Morley is to play Walter Johnson 200 points at three cushions for $200, fifty points each night for four consecutive nights.

AT OCCIDENTAL.

GORTON EXHORTS MEN TO TRY FOR TRACK.

COACH GORTON of Occidental is alarmed for the chances of his track team because the students are not turning out for track practice in as large numbers as he expected at the beginning of the season and he is becoming alarmed over the poor prospects for turning out a cinderpath squad that will be well rounded out and fairly strong in all the events.

There are six or seven men who can be counted on to run close to first place in their events, but the dearth of second and third place men is causing Gorton to become impatient over the lack of interest on the part of the students.

"The men seem to think," he said yesterday, "that if they are not good for first place in something that it is useless for them to try to make the team. This is poor spirit, for the second and third places are almost as important as the first places, and if we are to have only a few star athletes to represent the college our chances for winning many victories are very poor."

Wieman and Fred Thomson in the high hurdles, Thomson in the low hurdles, shot-put, and broad jump; Wieman in the hammer-throw and shot-put; Gordon in the high jump, Carus in the pole vault; Bird and Rush in the quarter-mile race, and Bonner in the half-mile are practically sure of finishing first or second against any local competitors, but there are very few other men undergoing active training. At the beginning of the season a large squad turned out, but many of the men, after they found that they could not develop into world beaters within a month, have not been appearing on the field regularly.

CALLS FOR MEN.

Gorton believes that if he can get a large number of men on the field, that he will be able to find likely runners and field men whom he can bring out this year and form a well-rounded team.

Conrad, shot-putter, is practicing, and on account of his huskiness and previous experience, it is hoped that he will be able to break into the points in the intercollegiate meets. Lewry also is training for the shot-put, and he will perform in the pole vault.

The return of "Dad" Roberts was opportune and he looks like a point winner.

Gobar is showing up better in the distances at present than any man on the campus and the students believe he will be able to run the mile in many seconds under five minutes before the first intercollegiate meet. After running several laps he reeled off a quarter-mile in 59s., yesterday. His form is good and he always has a sprint left at the finish, no matter at what pace he has been covering ground.

Coach Gorton believes that Bonner will run the 880-yard race in close to two minutes this year. Under special training he is running in better form than he ever has before, and he is stronger than when he ran in 1906 and 1907. Last year he was not in track work on account of sickness.

Bonner has covered the half-mile distance in 2m. 5s., but realizing that he will have to better this mark in order to compete against Carver of Pomona and Mills of Whittier, he is using every means to get into the best possible shape. He is training with the sole purpose of taking the scalps of the Claremont and Quaker cracks and when the men get together in the conference, meet a new local record will probably be established.

Although Coach Gorton is lamenting the scarcity of second and third place men, the veteran athletes on hand appear to be better than were left over at any of the other colleges in the conference.

ARE HUSTLERS.

Last year Wieman and Thomson made Spurgeon of Pomona run his best race to beat them in the high hurdles. Both men can climb the sticks in close to sixteen seconds, and with Spurgeon out of the way, they look like first and second place winners for Occidental. Thomson ran Spurgeon a close race in the low hurdles and in addition he puts the shot more than thirty-nine feet and broad jumps more than twenty-one feet. He probably will be the Presbyterians' best point winner as his versatility and great strength make it possible for him to enter nearly every event in the category of track and field athletics.

Gordon, with a record of 5 ft. 10 in. in the high jump, looks like another first place man. Coach Gorton believes Gordon will reach six feet this year, as he is already showing an improvement in form. Carus has a good chance to take first place in the pole vault as he cleared eleven feet consistently last year in interscholastic competition.

Capt. Rush will be hard to beat in the 440-yard dash, as he has consistently done the distance in less than 53s, and on one occasion ran a lap in the relay in less than 52s.

Whether or not Bird will be able to run is causing the students considerable anxiety. It is claimed that he has an enlarged heart and should not engage in any competitions; however, he is limbering up in good shape and looks fit to equal his former fast records in all the events up to the 440-yard dash.

The inter-class cross-country runs are to be held this week, the first being scheduled for Tuesday and the other will be held Friday. The class rivalry will bring out a large number of contestants and Gorton hopes that many of them will continue in training and get out for consistent track work.

INTERESTING.

CLASSY CARDS FOR GOLFERS.

Many Contests for Local Men Are in Prospect.

Play Starts Wednesday at Annandale Club.

Los Angeles Experts to Show Against Country Teams.

Interesting contests are in sight for the local golfers during the next three weeks, and if good weather prevails some very interesting play is in sight. There will be almost everything from bouts between real professionals for rich money prizes down through team matches between mixed teams and club teams to the usual Saturday play for golf ball prizes.

The first event of importance will be played at the Annandale course next Wednesday afternoon, when William Frederickson, the best amateur player of the Los Angeles Country Club, and E. Martin, the club professional, will play a match with the crack young Chicago player, Paul Hunter, and his partner, Clark, the Annandale club professional. This should be a contest worth going miles to see by any one enthusiastic on the rich man's sport of golf. Although young Hunter has won many tournaments around Chicago, he will have to play his best to beat Frederickson, if the local man is up to his game, and with Clark and Martin holding each other level, the battle looks to be a royal one.

Following this on next Saturday there will be team play on the local course between fifteen-men teams of the Annandale and Los Angeles clubs, and two weeks later a team of fifteen men from the Los Angeles club will go to Redlands and Riverside for return matches with the teams in those cities. On Saturday, February 6, Los Angeles is to play Redlands at Redlands, and the next day the locals are to meet the Victoria club at Riverside. Nat Wilshire is the captain of the local men.

Later on in February the Annandale club will schedule a money prize tournament for professionals, to be played at the Annandale course, and it is expected that the "pros." from the clubs at Annandale, Santa Barbara, Riverside, Coronado, Redlands and San Diego will compete. This will be a battle royal and is to determine the best professional in this end of the State.

HANDICAP MEDAL PLAY.

The programme at the Los Angeles Country Club on Saturday was an affair of 18 holes handicap medal play, and there were sixty-three entrants, which was one of the largest fields ever seen on the local course for a one-day event. Two dozen golf balls were offered as prizes in bunches of twelve, eight and four, and Harry Waitzfelder proved to be the winner of first prize, with a net score of 77. The scores of the twelve lowest players were as follows:

Name—	Gross.	Hndc.	Net.
Harry Waitzfelder	86	9	77
S. G. Wilson	85	6	79
J. E. Cook	90	11	79
B. W. McCausland	90	8	82
G. H. Schneider	90	8	82
W. Frederickson	82	X2	84
S. S. Parsons	93	5	88
T. Bradford	91	3	88
C. A. Smith	95	10	85
S. C. Lines	87	1	86
S. F. Hitt	104	18	86
J. S. Carroll	95	7	88

CLASSY.

MAIERS BEAT THISTLE TEAM.

GOOD AMATEUR GAME RESULTS IN SHUT-OUT SCORE.

Schaefer Pitches Better Ball Than Rugar, but Loses Contest in First Inning—One-Armed Ely of Winners Does Very Good Work at Second and Kelly Shows Class.

The Maiers defeated Azusa at baseball yesterday afternoon at the South Side Athletic diamond by a score of 1 to 0. The game was a close pitcher's battle between Rugar and Schaefer, both striking out six men and allowing two men to make first on balls.

George Ely, the crack one-arm player, did good work, as did Kelly, who made many difficult stops. The Maiers played a loose fielding game, as the four errors will show.

The score:

MAIERS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Leonard, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ely, 2b	2	1	1	1	3	5	1
Wilson, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Nast, ss	4	0	1	0	2	1	0
Kelley, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	4	0
Garrity, cf	3	0	1	0	1	0	0
Koeller, 1b	3	0	1	0	8	1	0
Hoffman, c	2	0	0	0	6	1	0
Rugar, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	1	4	1	25	12	4

AZUSA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Adams, lf	3	0	0	0	2	0	0
La Mar Moore, ss	3	0	0	0	2	3	0
Thompson, rf	4	0	2	0	1	0	0
Bradley, c	4	0	1	0	5	0	0
Perring, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	4	0
Schaefer, p	3	0	1	0	0	1	0
Smiley, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
White, 1b	2	0	0	1	9	0	0
Ed Moore, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	30	0	7	1	22	9	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Azusa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Base hits	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	0	0—7
Maiers	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Base hits	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0—4

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit—Ely.
Sacrifice hits—La Mar Moore, Smiley.
Bases on balls—Off Rugar, 2; off Schaefer, 2.
Struck out—By Rugar, 6; by Schaefer, 6.
Double play—Kelley to Koeller.
Passed ball—Hoffman.
Hit by pitched ball—White, 2; Ely.
Time of game—1h. 28m.
Umpire—Alex. Hoag.

ST. VINCENT'S PREPS.

STRONG TEAM POSSIBLE.

St. Vincent's College will again put a high school baseball team in the athletic field. The athletic board has decided that after the successful season which the younger Saints had last year on the diamond that it was best to encourage the preps in the national game and allow them to enter into relations with the various high schools in the south.

Four of last year's men have left school, having finished their courses in the prep department. These are Bastanchury, Phillips, Deckman and Olhasso. These men were the mainstays of the team, but much new material is on hand, and there is but little doubt that the team will not be equally as strong as it was last season.

When the 'varsity baseball team is picked the preps will commence active work. Coach Moores has made arrangement to give the lads an hour's work each afternoon, and they will use the college campus, while the 'varsity will practice at Chutes Park.

Hickson, Cunningham, Lee and Foster Couts and Bourg are loosening up their arms each day at St. Vincent's. It is feared by the preps that their star pitcher, Lee Couts, will be snatched up by the 'varsity for this season. Couts went through a record-breaking season last year, having held his opponents to an average of three hits in each of sixteen games. He returned to school last Wednesday afternoon, after spending the holidays at his home in Oceanside, and has been rehearsing with the 'varsity since his arrival.

Workman who proved the find of the season last winter for the preps at the first station and was used by Coach Hempel in the Stanford, California-St. Vincent's series in Los Angeles, is now ineligible to play with the High School nine. He is now fighting it out with "Griff" Kennedy for the position at first base.

The men who have signified their willingness to try out for the prep team are Hickson, Lee and Foster Couts, O'Brien, Murray, Cunningham, Bourg, Coats, Roulette, Brady, W. Cunningham, Kave Couts, Carroll, Scheller and West.

TEN-INNING BATTLE.

HALL PITCHES WELL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 17.—The Salt Lakes of the Winter League defeated San Pedro in a ten-inning contest on the local grounds this afternoon by the score of 4 to 3.

Corbin of the Salt Lakes made a home run in the ninth inning with two men on bases. The pitching of Hall and the fast fielding of Graham at third base were the features of the game.

The score:

SALT LAKE ROUTE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hall, p	5	0	1	0	0	1	1
Graham, 3b	5	1	2	0	0	4	0
Martinke, lf	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
McCormick, 2b	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pedrotti, cf	3	1	3	0	0	0	0
Corbin, ss	3	1	1	0	1	3	0
Clinton, rf	4	0	1	0	1	0	0
Searo, c	4	0	1	0	14	0	0
Rieger, 1b	3	0	0	0	11	0	0
Totals	35	4	9	0	30	8	1

SAN PEDRO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Suess, lf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Bruno, ss	5	0	1	0	1	3	0
Sturgeon, 2b	4	0	1	1	2	5	0
Cline, 1b	3	0	0	0	11	0	0
Jones, 3b	4	1	1	0	2	2	0
Dodson, rf	4	1	0	0	3	0	0
Whaling, c	4	0	1	0	9	2	0
Holland, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0	0
Ford, p	4	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	34	3	5	1	30	13	2

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Sale Lake	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1—4
Base hits	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1—4
San Pedro	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—3
Base hits	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0—5

SUMMARY.

Home run—Corbin.
Two-base hits—Graham, Whaling, Holland.
Sacrifice hit—Corbin.
Left on bases—Salt Lake, 4; San Pedro, 5.
Bases on balls—Off Hall, 6; off Ford, 2.
Struck out—By Hall, 11; by Ford, 4.
Passed ball—Whaling.
Hit by pitched ball—Martinke, 2.
Time of game—2h. 10m.
Umpire—Eatemman.

GIANTS ARE STRONG.

DEFEAT THISTLE TEAM.

The Giants defeated the Thistles at baseball yesterday afternoon at Joy Park, by the close score of 5 to 4. The Giants won the game in the ninth inning by making three runs. Lane pitched a good game for the Giants, allowing only six hits.

The following is the score:

L. A. GIANTS.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Pryor, lf	2	1	0	0	2	0	0
Anderson, 2b	4	1	1	0	1	3	0
Hawkins, ss	3	1	1	0	1	3	0
Lane, p	3	1	2	0	3	3	0
Clark, 3b	4	0	1	0	2	1	1
Jackson, 1b	3	0	0	0	11	0	0
Bailey, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Taylor, c	4	0	0	0	5	5	0
Majors, rf	3	1	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	32	5	5	0	27	15	1

THISTLES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
R. Lyons, p	4	1	1	0	0	2	0
Scheidecker, 2b	4	2	0	0	2	3	0
N. De Maggio, 3b	4	0	1	0	0	2	0
Vogel, ss	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
Cleveland, c	3	0	1	0	8	2	0
Brashaw, lf	4	1	0	0	1	0	1
T. Lyons, 1b	4	0	1	0	11	0	0
J. De Maggio, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Seigel, cf	4	0	1	0	4	0	0
Totals	30	4	6	0	27	10	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Giants	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	1	0—5
Base hits	3	0	1	1	0	2	2	1	0—10
Thistles	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0—4
Base hits	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2—6

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Clark, N. De Maggio.
First base on errors—Thistles, 4; Giants, 1.
Left on bases—Giants, 5; Thistles, 4.
Bases on balls—Off Lyons, 3; off Lane, 4.
Struck out—By Lane, 7; by Lyons, 2.
Hit by pitched ball—Anderson.
Time of game—1h. 45m.
Umpire—Red Taylor.
Scorer—A. Collins.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL.

Teams from Occidental and Whittier Meet Today in Initial Battle of the Season.

The basketball teams of Occidental College and Whittier College are to meet on the Presbyterian court this afternoon in the first intercollegiate game of the season in this city.

The Occidental Academy team five is to play the Pomona "preps," as a curtain-raiser to the college match, and the first game is to begin at 3:15 o'clock.

Occidental will be deprived of the services of Wilson, the former Compton High School player, who has been laid up with a sprained ankle for several weeks. He will be unable to do anyathletic work before the end of basketball season, and it is possible that his injury will keep him off the track team.

The Presbyterians are to play Pomona College at Pomona next Monday, and as the Claremonters have scored a victory over U.S.C., Occidental is anxious to beat the Quakers today, as the team then will be tied with Pomona for first place, and the game next week will then have an important bearing on the championship.

The college teams are to line up as follows:

Occidental.		Whittier.
Baer	forward	Crites
Hollister	forward	N. Renneker
Mills	center	Mills
McKenney	guard	Todd
McDowell	guard	Short

Length of halves, twenty minutes.

My Star Eclipsed.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—An unlucky slip on the ice yesterday and a broken leg, ended the turf career of My Star, a chestnut horse, owned by John and Lotta Crabtree, valued at $20,000. The horse was the sensation of the turf in 1906.

The early beginnings of irrigation in California are described by a writer in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

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IN THE FAMILY.

DOUGLAS BOYS WIN TROPHIES.

Brother A. B. Gets Silver Cup in Pistol Shoot.

Monthly Gold Medal Is Captured by Brother I. C.

Los Angeles Team Defeats Springfield Club.

The competitive shoot for the silver cup and gold, bronze and silver medals was held yesterday by the members of the Los Angeles Revolver Club at the Bishop-street range.

The prizes were carried off by A. B. Douglas, H. D. Thaxter and I. C. Douglas.

A. B. Douglas took the cup for the year 1909, with a score of 448 out of a possible 500, and also a solid gold medal. H. D. Thaxter won the silver medal with a score of 440, and I. C. Douglas the bronze trophy, with a score of 430. The conditions of the match were fifty shots at fifty yards on the standard American target.

MEDAL SHOOT.

The regular monthly medal shoot was held in connection with the cup shoot, the first three strings of the cup event counting for the club medals. I. C. Douglas captured the gold club medal with a score of 267 out of a possible 300; A. B. Douglas won the silver medal with a score of 266, and H. D. Thaxter the bronze trophy with a score of 259. W. E. Smith was absent on account of sickness, and W. E. Potter was kept away on account of business. The weather conditions were ideal for shooting and the scores were very good, the average of A. B. Douglas, for instance, being 89.

The scores were as follows:

Name—	1	2	3	4	5	T'tl.
A. B. Douglas	86	92	88	88	94	448
H. D. Thaxter	84	89	89	89	89	440
I. C. Douglas	86	93	87	84	79	430
C. W. Linder	80	87	81	82	91	421
W. Smith	82	82	84	81	80	409
J. E. Holcomb	73	77	88	80	80	398
W. A. Wright	78	83	81	79	74	393
Walter Schweitzer	80	79	77	74	74	384
Dr. L. M. Packard	68	81	74	75	69	367
W. R. Cutts	72	78	82	80	80	392
V. North	72	75	80	71	80	378
H. S. Poodermith	67	62	76	75	64	281

EASTERNERS LOSE.

Information has been received from the Smith & Wesson Revolver Club of Springfield, Mass., giving details of the scores made by that team in the recent telegraph match with the Los Angeles team. The locals made a total of 2458 points, while the total score of the easterners was 2381, the locals thus winning the match by seventy-seven points. A return match will be shot as soon as weather conditions in the East permit, the distance to be fifty yards. On February 14 the teams will shoot a thirty-shot match at twenty yards.

RIFLE PRACTICE.

HUBBS GETS HIGH SCORE.

C. B. Hubbs made the highest score in the semi-monthly shoot of the Southern California Rifles at Schuetzen Park yesterday, registering a total of 130 points on the 200, 300 and 500-yard ranges.

A large number of riflemen turned out for practice and the weather was excellent for shooting. In the morning, the scores on the 200 and 300-yard ranges were higher than usual, Joe Singer leading with a score of 45 on the 200-yard range, and G. S. Wotkyns having 46 at 300 yards.

The scores on the 500-yard range, which was shot over after 2 o'clock, were interfered with by intermittent clouds passing above the range, but Neff and Hubbs tied with 45 each.

Joe Singer in shooting the 500-yard range, shot from the off-hand instead of in the frame position, making a score of 29.

Several members of the Los Angeles Rifle and Revolver Club were also at the ranges. The scores were as follows:

	200	300	500	T'tl.
C. B. Hubbs	43	42	45	130
E. D. Neff	41	39	45	125
Joe Singer	45	41	39	125
G. Wotkyns	39	46	37	122
C. S. Backus	39	40	39	118
Dr. Alden	40	43	35	117
G. N. Weber	37	37	41	115
A. C. Freeman	38	36	42	106
J. R. Patterson	38	30		
J. F. Frye	35	24		
N. S. McBride	30	25		
F. R. Patterson	32	24		
A. S. Morrison	31	30		
	200 yds.		300 yds.	
E. C. Crossman	44		39	
George Kellog	41		41	
A. H. Aiken	38		41	
R. E. Larsen	38		29	

GOOD CARDS READY.

If Wolgast and Little Should not Sign for Fight, Double Bill Will Be Presented.

Local fight bugs can rest assured that they will see a fight at the Pacific Athletic Club on Tuesday of next week, for if Matchmaker Hancock cannot get the card he has in mind he will stage another that looks equally as good on dope and would probably provide more excitement.

The bout he is after is one between Ad Wolgast and Little and this is practically assured. Wolgast thinks it is at least, for he has already secured a cottage at Venice and expects to begin work there today. Little is to have a conference with Hancock this morning and it is said that he will sign.

Should there be a hitch in this fight, Hancock will put on a double bill of ten rounds between Picato and Dalton and ten between Young McGovern and Frankie Sullivan. The little boys fought here once before and put up a slashing battle and opinion was about equally divided as to which should have the decision. Picato and Dalton are too well known to need any introduction.

Freddie Welsh and George Memsic will begin work today for their match before the Pacific club on the night of February 2. Welsh will train at Venice and Memsic at the Eastside club.

A dispatch last night from San Francisco states that Jeffries made a good impression yesterday at his boxing stunt, being quick on his feet and accurate in his delivery. Over 1000 persons could not gain admission to the theater on account of the big jam of anxious spectators.

The Wolgast-Webster match of ten rounds fell through because the backer of Webster did not come to the scratch with the expected side bet of $250.

FIGHT FOR WALSH.

BANTAM ON WITH KELLY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 17.—Negotiations were concluded here today for a match between Jimmy Walsh of Boston, bantamweight champion of the world, and "Emergency" Kelly of New York. The fight will take place in Boston in February.

Kelly was matched to meet Tommy Kilbane of Cleveland for the featherweight championship of Ohio in a twenty-five-round bout here today, but the Sheriff burst in the doors and dispersed the spectators just as the men were entering the ring.

CHESS PLAYERS BUSY.

Games Progressing Steadily in the Big Handicap Tourney Started in December.

The members of the Los Angeles Chess Club are still playing away at their handicap tournament that was started during December, and it will require several weeks yet to finish the play. The standing of the men is as follows:

Bennett	11	23
Covington	8	8
Pawcett	7	5
Butman	7	4
Hays	12	4
Neilson	4	3
Pekoms	9½	12½
Peterson	11	11
Pridham	10½	5½
Strowbridge	9½	10½
C. W. Waterman	5½	4½
W. S. Waterman	7½	6½
Weston	4	2
Ingraham	4½	15½

FAST RUN.

AUBURN CRACKS ROAD RECORD.

MORE THAN THREE HOURS TORN FROM PREVIOUS MARK.

De Vaux, Who Drove Speedy Two-Cylinder Car from San Francisco to Fresno Rips More Than Three Hours from Previous Time in Dash to Del Monte and Return.

The two-cylinder Auburn, which has held two California road records for more than a year, annexed a third last week, going from San Francisco to Del Monte and return in twelve hours and 12 minutes. This gives the Auburn the Chanslor-Lyon Cup, which is as much sought after in the North as the San Diego and return record cup is in Los Angeles.

The best previous record for the Del Monte trip was 15hr. 40m., made by L. B. Harvey in the four-cylinder Rambler roadster which holds the present San Diego mark. Among the San Francisco motorists the performance of the two-cylinder Auburn has caused comment.

This is the same make of car which established a record of seven hours and sixteen minutes for the San Francisco to Fresno run. This record has never been beaten.

Last May, R. L. Forsyth, with a Los Angeles crew, sent the Auburn from San Francisco to Los Angeles in 20hr. 56m. This record has been beaten by only two other cars.

Norman De Vaux drove the Del Monte record breaker. The start was made from San Francisco at 6:40 a.m. The road was not in shape for record-breaking, but once started De Vaux did not permit the mud and water, from the early week's rain to stop him. He took many a risk, skidding around muddy corners. The roads were wet to San José and Gilroy but once San Juan grade was topped conditions became better, and the car was opened up to fifty miles an hour.

J. A. Bardin, prosecuting attorney of Salinas, rode with De Vaux. Del Monte was reached at 12:45, and after a fifteen minutes' stop the return trip started. On the return the run from Redwood City to San Francisco was made in a rainstorm.

In addition to the Chanslor-Lyon Cup De Vaux gets another cup from Del Monte. De Vaux drove the car on the entire trip. He also was at the wheel of the Auburn which went to Fresno in such fast time.

JAPS MAROONED.

Plumage Hunters, Left on Island by Their Ship, Rescued After Months of Hardship.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HONOLULU, Jan. 17.—The Commercial Pacific Cable Company's schooner, Florence Ward, arrived here today from the Midway Islands with the three plumage hunters of the Japanese schooner Kiho of Shinagawa, Tokio, who were rescued by the Florence Ward on Lee Harmes Island last December. The Kiocho put four Japanese ashore on Lee Harmes Island, eighty miles southeast of Midway, on July 7 last, and was to have returned for them. Shortly afterwards, however, a terrific storm broke. The hunters lived on fish and seabirds. One of the men died. The Kiocho is supposed to have foundered.

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By "The Office Boy"

I ran across this story in a eastern magazine recently: "In the year 1873 a man from Massachusetts went to California with a chronic liver complaint. He searched all over the Coast for a mineral spring to cure his disease and finally found, deep in San Joaquin Valley, a spring the waters of which almost instantly cured him. He therefore started a sanitarium and people all over the world came and were quickly cured. Last year this man died and as grateful had been the action of the waters that they had to take his liver out and kill it with a club." If you have any trouble with your liver, you'd better get some of that mineral water or get in shape to get busy. The shops and factories are preparing for another business boom and it is coming and we hope it will all be ready and meet it with a smile and say, "Hello, Prosperity, old fellow! Glad to see you back." Los Angeles. This town cannot be built up by men who are trending downward. Brace up, try again. You can make good. We're for you. Make it a point to drop in at our store often, even if you don't want to buy. See every man right up to the bit. Willing and anxious to do his best. It is that spirit that has built big enterprises and big cities. In fact everything that is worth while. When we find a man who pulls back we help him; if he fall behind, but as he becomes more and more footsure of the terrific pace, he steps with us just as easy to be a leader as a follower, and when you are up to up with the hand wagon it is much easier to keep there. Let us make 1909 the greatest year Los Angeles ever saw. We will do it if we pull together. Any of our salesmen will give you the step and with a little practice you'll be up with the best ones. Either store.

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I ran across this story in an eastern magazine recently: "In the year 1873 a man from Massachusetts went to California with a chronic liver complaint. He searched all over the Coast for a mineral spring to cure the disease and finally found, down in San Joaquin Valley, a spring, the waters of which almost instantly cured him. He therefore started a sanitarium and people all over the world came and were quickly cured. Last year this man died and so powerful had been the action of the waters that they had to take his liver out and kill it with a club." If you have any trouble with your liver, you'd better get some of that mineral water and get in shape to get busy. The shops and factories are preparing for another business boom, and it is coming and we may as well all be ready and meet it with a smile and say, "Hello, Prosperity, old fellow! Glad to see you back." Boost for Los Angeles. This town cannot be built up by men who are traveling downward. Brace up. Try again. You can make good. We're for you. Make it a point to drop in at our stores often, even if you don't want to buy. See every man right up on the bit. Willing and anxious to do his best. It is that spirit that has built big enterprises and big cities. In fact everything that's worth while. When we find a man who pulls back we let him fall behind, but as he becomes more and more footsore at the terrific pace, he steps aside. It's just as easy to be a leader as a follower, and when you are right up with the band wagon it is so much easier to keep step. Let us make 1909 the greatest year Los Angeles ever saw. We can do it if we pull together. Any of our salesmen will give you the step and with a little practice you'll be up with the live ones. Either store.

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TEAM PROSPECTS.

EDDY TEAM AT STANFORD.

Veterans and Several New Men Are Out.

of Los Angeles Scores Hit at First Base.

Activities Started at Cardinal School.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 15. Baseball training for the Stanford varsity squad is to begin Monday afternoon, when the fifty-three men who signed up today will hold the first practice of the season. Although the number on the squad is not as large as in previous years it is expected that more will be added within a few days.

Stanford has a baseball season opened with a bright prospect for a successful year. Seven of the players who helped the California varsity nine defeat are in college and eligible to play again this year, with a number added. With eight veterans and several more available who are in varsity class but who have previously been ineligible, there is plenty of good material from which Coach Presley and Capt. Sam[illegible]son can choose the team.

With the exception of "Kenny" Fenton, all of the infield players of last year will again be contestants for varsity positions. Fenton's loss is one which can easily be filled, yet he was a player of great value to the team on account of his generalship as well as his particular individual playing. C. B. Simpson of Stockton will probably remain in the shortfield position, as he is unusually consistent a ball player, covering his territory well and playing a fast game. Ralph Scott will possibly fall to L. Scott of Redlands, who was brought in from the outfield last year but was forced down the corner sack when Simpson went to short for a time last season. Scott made good at this position and seems the logical man for the place this year.

Ralph Cadwalader of Los Angeles, who did not out last year but was one of the strong players on the 1907 team, is making a strong bid for second with the initial sack will be the scene of a hot contest between F. Sampson of Palo Alto, who played the position last year, and B. L. Ball of Redlands, who proved by his work in preliminary games last spring that he is one of the best first baseman seen in this section in some time. Behind the bat, H. H. Mitchell of Los Angeles will probably continue to wear the mask, though C. F. Ganong will be given a good race.

Captain Ernest F. Tallant of the Cardinal team will have no difficulty in retaining his position in the left field, the strength of his high batting average Ganong will also be an asset, as was not catching while G. Ganong and A. Scoficld of Redlands, F. Scofield of Redlands and other varsity substitutes are eligible for the other field. Coach Presley of Stanford University is trying to be the strength of the team at first, where his clever work has proved his claim to the position. Another strong twirler is found in L. F. Smith of Santa Ana.

SCHEDULE MATERIAL.

The schedules are made with every care taken of the possible conflicts which may develop in the championship class. While nothing definite is known of the ability of any of the opposing players, it is generally believed that there are a number of excellent men in the entering teams. Those are mentioned E. Fenton of Redlands as a baseman of San Francisco, Hall, and L. E. Wilkeson of Redlands as a outfielder. It is not at all unlikely that some of these players will develop varsity material and displace some of the veterans.

The loss of Stanford fortunate in a number of veterans at the end of the season, but they are especially strong in the pitching department. With an additional practice it may be expected that the Cardinal nine for 1909 will be one of the hardest hitting teams that ever represented the university.

Those who signed up today are: Pitchers, Flynn, Swickart, Giesy, Jordan, Polhemus, Reed, Wilson, Cocheran, Mitchell, Griffin, Obear, Shadduck, Smith, Canterbury, Murray; infielders, Cadwalader, Sampson, Hall, Gartner, Butterworth, Ford, Taggart, Leach, Davidson, Henry, Brown, Goode, Wilkeson, Zwafford, Waterman. Outfielders, Rose, Sharboro, Sollenberger, Tallant, Gabriel, Bear, McGregor.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE.

Although a definite baseball schedule has not yet been arranged for the present semester, the activities of Manager Stewart have insured the Cardinal nine an unusually large number of matches, with the crack college teams that have appeared here in former years.

The present plans contemplate at least two matches with St. Vincent's of Los Angeles, eight with St. Mary's College of Oakland, seven with Santa Clara College, and a match with the famous "White Sox," who will make a spring tour on the Coast. This last game will be played some time in March. In addition to these regularly scheduled matches there are always several games with semi-professional clubs from San Francisco before the final series with California.

Manager Stewart is also considering the advisability of inaugurating the season ticket plan for the baseball season, according to the system now in vogue at Harvard.

AFTER NEW SHELL.

Arrangements have been completed whereby Stanford will have a new eight-oared shell for the use of the oarsmen during the greater part of the present season. The purchase is being made through Coach Dean Witter of the University of California, who is now in the East, negotiating for the purchase of a similar craft for the Blue and Gold. It is the intention to purchase two shells exactly alike, one for each institution, the type of boat selected being that used by Cornell in the big regatta at Poughkeepsie. In view of the unusually large squad out for boating at Stanford this season, the purchase of the new shell will prove especially opportune, and will be of great benefit to both crew and coach.

Although the track season was to have opened today, the continued inclement weather and the anticipated Rugby game with the Wallabies combined to prevent a large turnout. Several men have begun pre-season work, however, and are continuing to travel about the track in the rain.

FEMALE EMBLEM.

In the future those women students who represent Stanford on an athletic team in a match with California will receive an emblem much after the fashion of those granted in the various branches of men's athletics. According to a recent decision of the Women's Athletic Association, which has charge of the women's branch of collegiate athletics, members of the intercollegiate basketball team hereafter will be granted watch fobs made of gold in the shape of a basketball with a raised "S" in red enamel. The tennis players will be awarded a racquet pin, with the same "S" in red. Eight sweaters will also be granted.

TRACK TRAINING.

Determined to take advantage of all the time available for the training season, "Dad" Moulton issued his call for track men, and light work began Thursday. Owing to the temporary absence of Track Captain H. L. Horton, the regular track rally will not be held until some time next week, at which time the candidates for honors on the cinder path will sign up, and strict training rules go into effect.

As many of the 'varsity track men are also on the football squad and will play in the game against the Wallabies on February 17, the actual track season for these men will be considerably shortened.

SOCIETY WOMAN EMBEZZLER.

Denver Leader Admits Taking Funds of Children's Hospital to the Extent of $1920.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. A. A. Beard, treasurer of the Children's Hospital Association, a society leader, prominent in the Women's Club, a Daughter of the American Revolution, a Colonial Dame, is today a confessed embezzler of nearly $2000 of the hospital association funds. She not only admits the charges, but takes the matter with considerable coolness. She says that she took the money and "just simply spent it."

She makes no further explanation or apology to Chief of Police Armstrong, who quizzed her thoroughly. The embezzlement was not a matter of impulse, she says. She was elected treasurer in August, 1906. In September she admits stealing $800. The following March she took $300. After that she took $50 at a time until in November last she had gotten away, according to her confession, with $1920.

FRENCH ENTHUSIASTIC.

Thousands Visit American Battleships Now Lying in Harbor of Marseilles.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MARSEILLES, Jan. 17.—Thousands visited the American battleships today.

The American sailors who speak French were assigned to explain and describe the various objects of interest aboard ship to the visitors.

NURSES HEROIC.

HOSPITAL IN FLAMES; SICK FLEE IN SNOW.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RUMFORD (Me.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fire today partially ruined the Trull Hospital in this city, and forced eighteen patients to be taken out into a temporary structure in order to save their lives. When the fire was discovered the temperature was below zero, greatly handicapped the work of fighting the flames.

The patients were rescued by the nurses just in time to save them from suffocation.

This is the second time the hospital has been destroyed by sensational fires within three years. The first fire was caused by crossed wires, and was started while several operations were being performed. One was on Mrs. E. P. Spinney of Bath, for cancer, and had to be finished in the burning building to save her life. She was removed from the operating room to the first floor and the operation completed by Dr. H. W. Elerson of Boston, and the woman was among the last to be removed.

The nurses did heroic work in water up to their ankles and an umbrella had to be held over the wound of the patient as the surgeon finished his critical work.

FOR WARM CLIMATE ONLY.

GRECIAN PRINCESS IN SALOME ATTIRE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Already famed in the world of made as having had the most beautiful feet in history, Princess George of Greece, who was Princess Marie Bonaparte, has startled Paris court with some new creations of her own. The Princess, with the full sanction at her command, has established leadership in society and has become the arbiter in matters of dress for the women of the French capital. Her latest departure is a radical one, but Fortunately, the change is not severe. She has discarded petticoats for close-fitting trousers in her underdress, the Princess has now done away with the trousers and modeled a gown along the lines of those Salome was supposed to have worn. In general effect the ancient Grecian maidens were well draped as compared to her latest dress.

One of the main factors in her gown, which created a sensation at a recent court function, is jewels. Where there is too big a gap between cloth, jewels are made to do service. It is said that in this near nature dress, the Princess wears more than $500,000 worth of jewels, many of which are of barbaric design.

KILLED IN WRECKS.

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was on the outside of a curve and not in a position to see the freight.

ENGINE JUMPS THE TRACK; NO DEAD.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PUEBLO (Colo.) Jan. 17.—Missouri Pacific passenger train, known as the St. Louis Fast Express, which leaves here at 6:05 p.m., was wrecked near Boone, twenty-six miles east of Pueblo, about 7 o'clock tonight.

The engine and five or six cars jumped the track, but according to a telephone message received here, no one was killed or seriously injured.

The engine and express car were hurled from a bridge over an arroyo, and the enginemen had miraculous escapes. The train was in charge of Conductor Black, while Engineer Lockhart was at the throttle. The news of the wreck did not reach Pueblo for almost an hour, and wreckers on the Missouri Pacific and Denver and Rio Grande are being hastened to the scene.

SURVIVOR'S TALE PICTURES HORROR.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SALT LAKE, Jan. 17.—A number of survivors of the Dotsero wreck on the Rio Grande Railroad reached Salt Lake today. Those who were not too benumbed by the scene of horror through which they had passed related pitiful stories of the disaster.

"I was sitting in a Pullman," said George H. Harris, a Salt Lake man, "when I felt a jar. It was nothing much, so far as the shock was concerned, but out of curiosity I went to the platform to learn the cause of the stop. Only then did I suspect that we had been in a collision. It seemed as though the passengers from every undamaged car were upon the scene instantly and every man and a majority of the women set to work to aid the unfortunates under the debris.

"When we had completed our work it was found that nineteen were dead, three others died in the hospital and a hobo who was riding the blind baggage was crushed to death. That made a total of twenty-three dead. The chair coach was completely demolished and there was hardly enough of it left to fill a cigar box. Where the accident occurred there is a river on one side of the embankment and a sheer descent on the other.

"The impact drove the tourist sleeper through the chair car ahead, one side falling down the embankment and the other into the water.

"While a party of us were at work, we came upon a family of five—father, mother, two little boys and a little girl. As we reached them the mother cried out: 'For God's sake, help my children; I am dying.' We had been working hard, but we put more energy, if possible, into our labors, and soon had the little girl freed from the wreckage. She was badly hurt, but we knew it would help the dying parents if we told them the children were safe. When we reached them with our consoling messages we were too late. The father, mother and two boys had passed to the great beyond.

"A little further on our attention was called to a little girl about 6 years old. She was lying dead upon the second locomotive of the freight train. Evidently when the impact came she had been hurled from the chair car over the baggage car and two engines.

"The hobo on the blind baggage was pinned between the tender and the front of the baggage car. It was impossible to remove him, and, as he was dead, we allowed him to remain there."

LIST OF INJURED ALMOST COMPLETE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

GLENWOOD SPRINGS (Colo.) Jan. 17.—The confusion following the wreck at Dotsero is gradually being straightened out. The track has been entirely cleared and traffic resumed without interruption. The debris resulting from the wreck, thrown to one side while searching for bodies and clearing the track, is to be picked up carefully, and nothing will be burned on the ground save the broken splinters, and those not until they have been carefully gone through a second time, lest a body might still be lying among them.

The situation is being directed by General Manager Ridgeway of the Denver and Rio Grande, who remains here until tomorrow. Working with him are General Surgeon O'Connor and Claim Agent Rennick and a corps of assistants. Dr. O'Connor is personally supervising the care of the injured and assisting in the identification of the dead, while Rennick is preserving all property and possible clews to identification.

There have been no deaths among the injured since yesterday and more hope is entertained for the recovery of those whose condition is serious. There were 126 passengers on the train and most of these are accounted for. It is known that a number proceeded on their journey without being reported.

Some of the unknown dead have been identified today. All the men have been identified, in nearly every case positively. The railway was greatly assisted in this by the Associated Press report. George Mahan of Princeton, Ind., is missing, and it is possible that he may be one of the men concerning whose identification there is no positive proof.

His wife is one of the seriously injured and, in no condition to give a description. She insists that her husband and father were on the train. The father, Henry Dunn of St. Louis, has been found among the dead.

The telegraph office here has been flooded with dispatches from anxious relatives addressed to supposed passengers on the wrecked train. In many instances the railway people are able to give addresses where the persons can be found, but there are a number of names which do not appear among the list of passengers.

The following list contains the names of the injured, with a report of their condition today:

Thomas Cadwaller, Joliet, Ill., scalp wound, abrasion of face, fractured rib.

L. J. Ezell, Williston, N. D.; internal injuries, multiple contused wounds, condition serious.

Margaret Ezell, Williston, N. D., lacerated wounds, left leg and left arm, contusion of neck.

W. H. Jefferey, engineer, Glenwood Springs; compound fracture left foot, fracture of right thigh, condition serious.

Lydia Mahan, Princeton, Ind., large contused and lacerated wounds of both thighs, compound fracture of left ankle, contusion of face, condition serious.

Chas. P. Manee, Rockland, Cal.; general contusions, and Mrs. Chas. P. Manee, shock, will continue journey tomorrow.

S. J. Martin, Covington, Ky.; dislocation left elbow, fractured rib, small scalp wound.

Harvey Mitchell, fireman, Salida; dislocated hip.

Gus Olsen, engineer, Grand Junction; small scalp wound, severe contusion of left leg.

Phil Peters, Jr., express messenger, Denver; general contusions.

William —, boy 4 years old, fracture of left leg, small scalp wounds, small lacerated wounds on elbow, burn on right leg.

Unknown boy, 2 years old; fracture right thigh.

E. F. Robinson, Denver; spinal injury.

A. P. Roseau, Holdridge, Iowa; compound fracture, dislocation right ankle, condition serious.

Arciris Rontacranis, Fort Worth, Tex., internal injuries.

H. B. Schuler, Covington, Ky.; lacerated wound of leg, severe contusion and forehead.

Clarence Vassau, Middlebury, Vt.; slight contusions.

W. O. Vinack, Denver; fracture left leg, extensive laceraetd wound right thigh, fractured rib, condition serious.

D. E. Wheeler, Grand Junction; wound of left thigh, severe contusion of right knee, lacerated wound al palm.

Sig Olsen, engineer, Grand Junction; contusions left shoulder and back.

No statement has yet been obtained from Engineer Olsen of the passenger train. He will not be well enough to talk for several days, and until then the investigation as to the blame is at a standstil. The members of the Coroner's jury, after viewing the bodies, returned home last night.

Coroner Gilpin will hold the inquest when Engineer Olsen is able to give his evidence.

The body of J. H. Davis was taken to Denver this morning by his partner, Lester Bridaham. The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kettle were claimed this morning by Fred Kettle, a brother, from Grand Junction.

LOBBYING FOR DRY STATE.

Prohibition in Texas Hangs on One Vote and That Is Probably a "Wet."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

AUSTIN (Tex.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The fact that this is Sunday did not prevent prohibition and anti-prohibition leaders from putting in most of the day lobbying with legislators to change votes on the question of submitting State-wide prohibition. The anti-prohibitionists are jubilant over the prospects of winning the fight both in House and Senate.

The submission proposition will come up for discussion in the House tomorrow. It is reported today that Senator E. I. Kellie of Jasper, who has been looked on as a prohibitionist, has joined the anti-submissionists, thereby assuring the defeat of the proposition in the Senate. Kellie was asked whether he intended to vote against submission. He evaded the question.

"You may safely say," he declared, "that submission is lost to a dead moral certainty, and its defeat will be due to discomfiture in both houses."

It is necessary to revert to a former incident of the week to appreciate the significance of Kellie's emphatic assertion. Tuesday a poll of the Senate showed ten Senators against submission, eighteen for, two non-committal, and one not seen. Therefore but one Senator (Kellie) was needed to kill the resolution in the Senate.

URGES PRISON REFORM.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Florence E. Maybrick, whose release from an English prison five years ago was due to the efforts of American women, declared here today she was devoting her life to prison reforms. In a statement she appealed to Congress to provide the national capital prisons with sanitary facilities. Mrs. Maybrick denied the rumor that she was engaged to be married.

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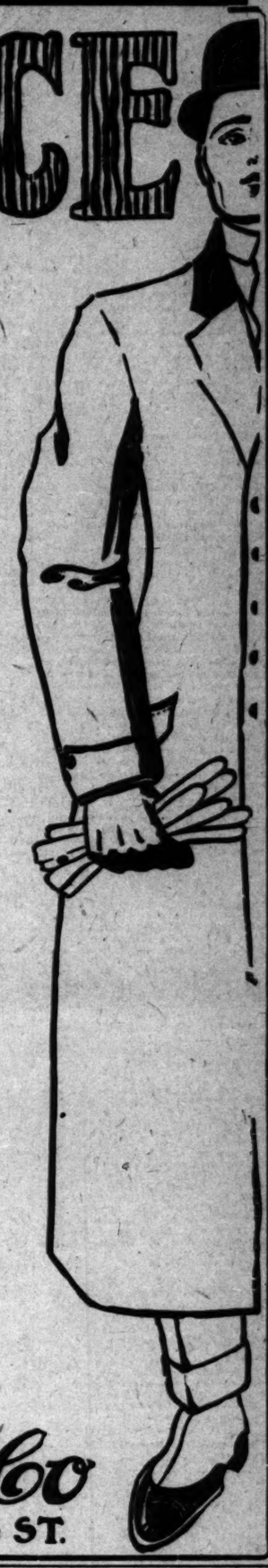

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FACTS, FEATURES AND FANCIES FOR WOMEN

BY MISS SYDNEY FORD.

If you are still using those visiting cards engraved in old English type that were so fashionable a few seasons ago, you must discard them, for they are distinctly passé. One of the leading jewelry establishments which devotes a special department to up-to-date calling cards, invitations and stationery, displays a large line of the very latest designs in these things. You will notice that the visiting cards are slightly smaller than we have been using and that very heavily shaded script takes the place of the plain script which delicately traced your name hitherto. I saw there some novelties in stationery, too—linen and Foulard designs being reproduced, with narrow, plain-colored borders. The latest thing in monograms is the block effect, the initials themselves worked out in square lines, and the monogram inclosed in a square. Another attractive design is the very long monogram—the letters in some cases measuring an inch and a half in length. Crests are also used extensively.

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Overskirts and Earrings.

Can we stand the strain? Must we again don overskirts and earrings? Both seem so unnecessary, but nevertheless, all Paris is agitated over the question: Are we, or are we not, to don the overskirt? There is an unsatisfactory response, and considerable shrugging of shoulders and lifting of eyebrows. Doucet, that most conservative of French coutouriéres, is showing most of his between-season models with an overskirt effect. I see, however, he has managed to preserve the long, clinging lines which the present fashion demands. It is even hinted—and may heaven preserve us from such a fate—that this dictator of fashionable feminine attire shows in his newest models such a tendency toward Greek and Roman draperies as indicate a harking back to the days of still scantier effects and more flowing lines.

However, Paris is a city of changes, and it is still too early to do much in the way of predicting.

Earrings, nevertheless, are here and we might as well face the fact. No use in dodging it any longer. You may remember I told you a week or two ago that they were on the way. Well, they have arrived. Indeed, they are the rage, and every woman is hunting up these quaint, old-fashioned ornaments among her family heirlooms, especially those with the long pendants. Jet and coral are the favorites, and there is such a demand for them that their price has risen by leaps and bounds. There is also a fad for having the stones match in color the gown, and jade and amethyst, pearls and gold are favored, especially for evening wear. You may remember that Sara Bernhardt once said: "Never wear a diamond near your face; wear pearls and sapphires; but the diamond never." One reason why corals and pearls are popular is because they give color to the ear.

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Don't Pierce Your Ears.

No need to have your ears pierced, for there is a new device whereby earrings are fastened to the lobe of the ear. Ask your jeweler about it. Are we going back to pagan days? The large gold hoops, twisted and roped into odd conceits original with the Egyptians ages ago are popular, and much attention is being given in Paris and London to the art of ornamenting the ears in a becoming fashion. It is agreed that women with short ears must wear the long, pear-shaped, pendant earrings, while the woman with long ears can help to shorten their appearance by wearing just a jeweled drop.

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The Greek Coiffure.

The latest mode in hairdressing is the Greek style, with its masses of soft curls and encircling braid which covers the crown of the head, the whole held in place with bands of narrow gold, or velvet ribbon caught with several beautiful clasps. The shape of the head must be carefully considered and the curls so arranged as to give the best line to the profile.

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No Gloves—More Bracelets.

The most ultra thing at the moment, says a fashion writer, is to go without gloves. Not, of course, when out of doors, but upon all occasions when gloves are ordinarily considered necessary, as, for instance, at the opera or theater, and in restaurants, even with gowns that are minus sleeves and have only a drapery on the shoulder. Naturally this fashion has brought about a revival of the long-discarded bracelet, and many women are wearing some unusual and beautiful ornaments on their arms. Some are worn above the elbow, while narrow bangles jingle loosely about the wrist and fall over the hands. Probably this is only a passing fad and will disappear with the winter.

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Fantastic Fads.

You remember I told you the other day about the fancy for enameled cats worn as brooches? There is a perfect rage for all sorts of animals, quaint little flowers, silver and china images, just now, worn as mascots on chains or bracelets, as crooches or hat pins. There is likewise a rage for rings, especially antiques, and the queerer they are the more they are prized. Crowns and monograms are much sought for, and, in fact, jewelers are kept quite at their wits ends to keep up with the fantastic demands for odd jewelry.

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Some Salt Savors.

Salt has many uses besides flavoring foods. For removing egg stains from silver apply salt with a soft, dry cloth, and behold the result. In preparing greens for salad, wash them thoroughly in salt water to remove any insects too small to be seen. A pinch of salt added to ground coffee before cooking improves its flavor.

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Fresh Flowers Fashionable.

With all the bizarre fads and fancies of the present day it is inspiring and hopeful to behold that fresh flowers are fashionable, and in the East all the smart broughams and luxurious electric coupés now have their supply of fresh flowers, either hung just inside the doors in small Japanese cornucopias of green porcelain or on either side of the carriage. Lilies of the valley are first favorites, with violets and carnations close seconds, while orchids are used by those who can afford such an expensive luxury. At a recent fashionable wedding the bridesmaids carried huge muffs made entirely of white orchids thrust into a moss cushion, and from this lovely floral muff fell dozens of white baby ribbon streamers with tiny lily of the valley clusters attached.

This idea could be charmingly carried out in Los Angeles, where we have such a wealth of blossoms to choose from. Such a muff in the eastern city where this wedding occurred represented the expenditure of $100; here it could be duplicated for considerably less.

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Kitchen Kinks.

Sew a good-sized pearl button to each corner of your dishcloth and you will never have to run for a knife to scrape a dish, for you will have the button always at your hand and it will never scratch even the silver.

After using a carpet sweeper empty all the dust and then put the sweeper down, brush side up, and sweep same with a broom. This removes all strings and hair from the bristles and makes it like new. If threads are matted, cut first with the scissors, and then sweep.

A good substitute for the worn-out cane seat of the kitchen rocker is made by removing all the seat and weaving an old wire clothes line or any flexible wire back and forth through the little holes where the cane was removed. Then make a gay, chintz covered cushion and place in the rocker and you will have a comfortable chair that will last a lifetime.

If you have to patch the wall paper, place the new piece in the sun for a few days till it fades to the color on the wall. Then, instead of cutting a square piece, tear it and paste it on with ragged edges and no one will ever know the difference.

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Timely Topics.

Tunics are more seen in daytime robes than in evening ones.

Tiny black-spangle fans are fashionable for theater-going.

There is a growing tendency among brides to eliminate the face veil.

Black braid trimming with side fringe is very much used this season.

Straight, slender silhouettes are still the demand for dinner gowns.

Soutache braiding is highly effective on neckpieces and muffs of fur.

Sleeves, whether long or short, are close, and most of them are long.

The empire style is still practically imperative for the wedding gown.

With hats, as with gowns and wraps, black is the most popular dye of the season.

THINKS HE IS MURDERER.

Insane Man Jumps from Third-story Window of Downtown Rooming-house and Lives.

Fearing that he was being pursued by police detectives who wanted him for murder, Joseph Meier, a roomer at the Santa Rosa house, Fourth and San Pedro streets, jumped from a third story window to the sidewalk yesterday morning. He escaped with a sprained ankle.

Meier was removed to the Receiving Hospital and his injuries were dressed. No bones were broken. Three days ago Meier began to drink freely and since that time, the roomers say, he has acted in a strange manner, and has often spoken about the detectives, who, he said, wanted him for murder. The police take no stock in his murder story, and say he is laboring under a delusion. Meier has worked as a ranch hand near Spadra for some time.

JUDGE MURPHY HONORED.

A delightful musical entertainment was given in honor of Judge J. Luttrell Murphy of San Francisco by Mrs. E. B. Davidson and her daughter, Miss Ruth, at their home in the Chautauqua Hotel last evening. Music was furnished by the Ladies' Arron Orchestra. Those present were Judge J. Luttrell Murphy, William T. Kahler, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lang, C. A. Lang, H. A. Lozier, H. R. Anson, H. T. Parker, E. H. Holcombe, Clark Day, Kazi Hedinberg, Harry Hole, Dolly Dutton, Ritta Dutton, Katherine Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dutton, May Lang, Beryl Day, Mrs. H. B. Day, Mrs. E. B. Davidson, Ruth N. Davidson, Miss Dolly Spivey and Mrs. Spivey.

MICA CARDS DANGEROUS.

Postal Clerks Injured by Souvenirs and Mailing Them Is Prohibited.

Because many mail clerks have suffered serious injury from frequent handling of souvenir postal cards covered with tinsel effects, the Postmaster-General has issued an order forbidding their transmission unless the cards are inclosed in sealed envelopes, or treated in such a way that the coating will not rub off.

Postmaster Flint calls especial attention to the order, because this is the height of the tourist season and hundreds of souvenir cards are mailed here every day. The cards that depend upon an effective display of glistening scenery and electric light effects are coated with mica, glass, sand or similar substance. As the clerks sort them out, their fingers come in frequent contact with the rough surfaces and it is asserted that cases of blood poisoning are possible.

The amendment to the general law regulating mailing of cards reads: "Cards bearing particles of glass, metal, mica, sand, tinsel, or other similar substances, are unmailable, except when inclosed in envelopes tightly sealed to prevent the escape of such particles, or when treated in such a manner as will prevent the objectionable substances from being rubbed off or injuring persons handling the mails."

One Way To Avoid Piles

and Appendicitis

"Every incoming patient recites the same story—neglected or improperly treated constipation. The great increase of operations for appendicitis, rectal diseases and womanly displacements, indicates the crying need of a mild but sure treatment for constipation," says a well-known hospital matron. "Headache, stomach troubles, piles and all the fevers of children can be prevented by using this mild formula whenever any costiveness exists: Get at any well-stocked drug store 'one ounce aromatic fluid cascara,' 'one ounce compound essence cardiol,' and 'two ounces aromatic syrup rhubarb.' Mix, and adults take from ½ to 2 teaspoonfuls after each meal, while children will readily take from five drops to a teaspoonful after each meal, according to age. This treatment will correct the bowels and not drug them. The longer it is used the less need of it except when some heavy meal is consumed, or when one catches cold."

DEATH DARED.

THRILLING END OF WIRE ACT.

Bicyclist's Fearful Fall Is Possibly Fatal.

Alights on Head, Sustaining Concussion of Brain.

Women and Children Witness Shocking Accident.

While hundreds of women and children watched him perform on a high tight wire at Chutes Park, yesterday afternoon, Charles Williams, of No. 1837 East Sixty-seventh street, fell to the cement curbing on the edge of the lake and received injuries which may cause his death. He was trying to ride a bicycle on the wire when the accident happened.

The crowd was observing the man closely as he climbed to the platform and prepared to mount the machine for the dangerous exhibition. As he reached the wire, Williams seemed

Charles Williams,

who fell from a high wire at Chutes Park yesterday while trying to ride it on a bicycle and may be fatally injured.

frightened, and lost his balance. He tried to steady himself by grasping the iron railing of the platform, but this broke and he fell. He alighted on his head and rolled into the lake, but was quickly rescued and carried into one of the buildings, where he was given a stimulant.

The police ambulance was called and the unfortunate man taken to the Receiving Hospital. It was found that he had sustained severe concussion of the brain, lacerations on the face and right arm, and bruises on his body.

Williams's escape from instant death was remarkable, as he fell thirty-five feet.

Almost all his life he has been giving tight wire performances. He traveled for several seasons with the Sells-Floto circus, but has been doing the bicycle "stunt" at Chutes Park for three years.

While with the circus, he figured in a thrilling accident. He was on the tight wire near the top of the tent when he lost his balance, fell into the net, bounced out of it, and sustained concussion of the brain and internal injuries from which he never fully recovered.

Williams is 30 years old, and has a wife and baby. When he became conscious at the Receiving Hospital, he said that if his life is spared, he will never walk a wire again.

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 17.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, from San Diego.
Steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, from Eureka, via Redondo.
Barkentine Gardiner City, Capt. Olsen, twenty days from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Queen, Capt. Larsen, from Tillamook.
Schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, thirteen days from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Lizzie Vance, Capt. Rock, nineteen days from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner C. S. Holmes, Capt. Thompson, sixteen days from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Sadie, Capt. Johnson, from Umpqua River.

SAILED—SUNDAY, JAN. 17.

Steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, for San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.
Steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, for San Francisco.

IN PORT—SUNDAY, JAN. 17.

Steamer Iaqua, South. Cal. wharf.
Steamer Hoquiam, S. P. wharf.
Steamer Mandalay, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Helene, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Steamer George W. Prentiss, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Mayflair, S. P. wharf.
U. S. S. Cheyenne, outer harbor.
Steamer Cabrillo, S. P. wharf.
Barkentine Gardiner City, South. Cal. wharf.
Barkentine Wrestler, E. K. Wood wharf.
Barkentine Amazon, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Santa Rosa Island, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Mendocino, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Salem, So. Cal. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner E. K. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Luzon, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Queen, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Lizzie Vance, Crescent wharf.
Schooner Alert, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner C. S. Holmes, South. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Sadie, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

TO LEAVE—MONDAY, JAN. 18.

U. S. S. Cheyenne, for Santa Barbara.
TUESDAY, Jan. 19.—Steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, for San Diego.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamship Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, from San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.
Steamer Centralia, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Steamship Roanoke, from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco, mail.
Steamer Shna-Yak, from Everett, via San Francisco.
Steamer W. H. Murphy, from Eureka.
Steamer Daisy Freeman, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.
Schooner Endeavor, from Portland.
Schooner Fearless, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Hugh Hogan, from Hobsonville.
Schooner Lottie Bennett, from Tacoma.
Schooner Cecelia Sudden, from South Bend.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British ship Celtieburn, Capt. Daniel, 2200 tons, out forty-eight days from Newcastle, Eng.
American schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Capt. Johnson, out seven days from Antofagasta, Chile.
Norwegian steamer Ceeil, Capt. Olson, 2483 tons, due from Antofagasta, Chile.
Norwegian steamer Hornelen, Capt. Nilsen, from Antofagasta, loading.
British steamer Princess Ena, from Victoria, B. C., loading.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

The steamer Hermosa makes daily trips to Catalina Island and return.

ARRIVED—SUNDAY, JAN. 17.

Launches Music, Camiguin and Nora, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Music, Camiguin and Nora, for Long Beach, with passengers.
Seven sailboats for fishing banks, and returned.

Tide Table of San Pedro.

		High.	Low.
Monday,	Jan. 18.....	6:19 a.m.	1:28 p.m.
		8:47 p.m.	.....
Tuesday,	" 19.....	7:03 a.m.	0:41 a.m.
		9:58 p.m.	2:16 p.m.
Wednesday,	" 20.....	7:47 a.m.	1:27 a.m.
		9:27 p.m.	2:51 p.m.
Thursday,	" 21.....	8:32 a.m.	2:11 a.m.
		10:17 p.m.	3:29 p.m.
Friday,	" 22.....	9:12 a.m.	2:58 a.m.
		10:53 p.m.	4:08 p.m.
Saturday	" 23.....	9:59 a.m.	3:41 a.m.
		11:23 p.m.	4:49 p.m.
Sunday,	" 24.....	10:47 a.m.	4:31 a.m.
			5:36 p.m.
Monday,	" 25.....	0:10 a.m.	5:27 a.m.
		11:38 a.m.	6:11 p.m.
Tuesday,	" 26.....	0:53 a.m.	6:31 a.m.
		12:38 p.m.	6:55 p.m.

Port Items.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 8 miles.

The barkentine Wrestler, Capt. Bjornstrom, from Gray's Harbor, and the schooner E. K. Wood, Capt. Hansen, from the same port, will discharge combined cargoes of 1,273,000 feet of lumber for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company.

After having discharged a part cargo of lumber at Redondo, the steamer Iaqua, Capt. Self, arrived from Eureka with 4,000,000 shingles and 100,000 feet of lumber and shakes, consigned to the Southern California Lumber Company.

The Pacific Coast Company's steamship State of California, Capt. Thomas, arrived this morning from San Diego. After taking freight and passengers, she cleared for San Francisco, via Redondo and Santa Barbara.

The steamer Daisy Freeman, Capt. Johnson, is due tomorrow from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco, carrying 850,000 feet of lumber.

The Merchants' Independent Company's steamer Hanalei, Capt. McFarlane, cleared this afternoon for San Francisco, with freight and passengers for the Crescent Wharf and Warehouse Company.

The U. S. monitor Cheyenne is scheduled to clear Monday for Santa Barbara.

The steamer Bowdoin has been chartered to bring three cargoes of railroad ties from the Columbia River, consigned to the Southern Pacific Company at this port.

The schooner Queen, Capt. Larsen, arriving from Tillamook, brought 350,000 feet of lumber for the C. Ganahl Lumber Company.

The barkentine Gardiner City, Capt. Olsen, arrived twenty days from Gray's Harbor, bringing 625,000 feet of lumber for the Southern California Lumber Company.

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At the Church

WE ARE governed by representatives of the best interests of 200 saloons, the ratpots of the politicians, the scum of the city, the harlots and criminal classes," was the conclusion of Rev. O. A. Henry in an address on, "Is City Government Rotten?" at the First Baptist Church last night. He said that these corrupt officials should be killed politically, to which the audience responded with applause. "There are two classes in every city," said Rev. Mr. Henry, "the virtuous and the vicious. The virtuous, who believe in obeying the laws of decency, who do all that can to build up the community are the backbone of the nation. The vicious, who scoff at the law, who do nothing for the good of humanity, who do all in their power to degrade commonwealth. The good, however outnumber the vicious. I think Los Angeles. But the criminal classes are together. Their interests are the same. They are banded together to defend each other. They defy evil, debauch our children, and rule our women. They have proved that in unity there is strength. If the law-abiding people of this city were organized, they do not stand a chance, they do not recognize their enemy and they are taken unawares by the enemy that comes in like a thief in the night. And the government of the vicious, is in the hands of men whose interests are identified with them. If we want good government, it must be controlled by decent citizens.

"The question arises as to whether the representatives who govern Los Angeles are hand in glove with the criminal—the people who need to be ruled, to be brooked, and punished for their wrongdoing. If this is the conclusion can there be, except that these representatives share in the ruin of our homes, in the degradation of our commonwealth, and reap the rewards, which the evil classes have sowed, is linked with them in interest. It has been virtually proved that the representatives in control of our government have bidden these ungodspeed. Bidden the saloon—godspeed—bidden the gambler—godspeed—bidden the dance hall—godspeed—bidden the haunts of vice—godspeed.

"Justly, then, the government of Los Angeles has given consent to the infernal influences. There is but one conclusion. That this beautiful city with its 200 churches, its 35,000 church members, its world-wide reputation for clean citizenship, is in the hands of the vicious. It is a disgrace to us, and we should be throttled by such a state.

"Nine-tenths of the people of this city are to be cowed, browbeaten and ruled over by grafting, law-breaking politicians, then we are a menace to civilization. One conclusion is that we are governed by representatives of the best interests of the saloons, the rat-hole politicians, the scum of the earth, the harlots and criminal classes. We should rise and put such a demonstration that it will be the political death-knell of these unworthy representatives of the

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The Man Who Was More Than King.

Rare Who Was More Than King" was the subject of an address delivered by Reynold E. Blight, minister of the Los Angeles Fellowship, at Blanchard Hall yesterday morning. In the course of it, he said:

"The saints and heroes of the ages, as well as the Christian catacombs, tell heathenism furnishes the most heroic examples of that magnanimity and nobility that history records. I want to speak to you this morning of a pagan slave, who under the rule of a cruel master, and in the most degrading circumstances, rose to the highest heights of manly character; for whom was written the memorial epitaph: 'I was Epictetus, a cripple maimed in body, and a beggar in poverty, and dear to the immortal gods.'

"He was born in Phrygia, and while a boy was sold into slavery. Although surrounded by poverty and brutality, he won a reputation as a philosopher throughout Rome, whose pure and noble character made a deep and lasting impression upon his contemporaries. He was in the highest sense a master of life.

"Under degrading conditions he could rise to such heights of moral grandeur, to what heights should we rise under our favoring circumstances? Not one of us but has a thousand opportunities for development, for every one that the Roman enjoyed. His example rebukes our weaknesses and our failures, and calls us to manly effort.

"The life of Epictetus proves that man can be crushed by his circumstances, but that adverse circumstances are the gymnastic apparatus upon which to test and develop our moral muscle. By bravely overcoming obstacles and beating down temptations shall we become masters of ourselves and

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"The Church We Need."

The revival service in the Broadway Christian Church yesterday evening, F. P. Spiegel spoke on "The Church We Need," using Matthew xvi, 18: "Upon this rock I will build my church," as his text. He said, in part: "Dr. Sam Hunter of Trinity Church, New York, in a book recently from the press, says, 'The church we need is a church that stands for the simplicity of the religion of Christ, a church efficiency of the religion of Christ, calling itself by no name except such name as Episcopalian, Presbyterian, Methodist, Baptist, Lutheran, Catholic, Denominational-ism, a derogation. Denominationalism does about all the good it can do, has borne witness; let it now pass away. The best men in the churches do not want to wear sectarial and sectarian labels. They want to find a common basis of life, come together under some broad Christian confession, and to live with each other as becomes disciples of Jesus.'

"In my sincere desire to make as real as this after the true church of Jesus Christ. What was the church? Peter confessed, 'Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.' Christ and His resurrection was the creed. Hence he preached and urged the people to believe in Christ, to confess Christ, to obey Christ, as the act of induction into that church. Do not find any man, woman or child in the church who did not believe in Christ, who had not repented of sin, Christ, who had not confessed Christ as his Savior, who had not been buried with Christ in baptism? On the first day of the week the Lord's supper was celebrated in commemoration of what He had done for them, and a free-will, free contribution for the spread of the gospel was made. Thus their worship was simple, spiritual, and intelligent. As individuals they were Sons of God, brethren,

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At the Churches Yesterday.

...AY ...governed by repre-...ies of the best inter-...s of 300 saloons, the rat-...ion of the scum of ...harists and criminal ...the confession of Rev. ...Henry in an address on, "Is ...overnment Rotten?" at the ...Church last night. He ...them corrupt officials ...to billed politically, to which ...responded with applause.

"...two classes in every ...," the Rev. Mr. Henry, "the vir-...and the vicious. The virtuous, ...in obeying the laws of ...decency, who do all that ...to build up the community ...the backbone of the nation. ...who scoff at the law, who ...for the good of humanity, ...their power to degrade ...wealth. The good, how-...the vicious. I think ...them ten to one in ...But the criminal classes ...Their interests are ...banded together to ...debauch our children ...our women. They have ...that is unity there is strength. ...abiding people of this city ...they do not stand ...and recognize their ...they are taken unawares ...money that comes in like a ...the government control, ...the hands of the vicious, is ...of men whose interests ...with them. If we want ...government, it must be con-...by decent citizens. ...parties as to whether ...representatives who govern Los ...are hand in glove with the ...people who need to ...to be brooked, and pun-...their wrongdoing. If this is ...conclusion can there be, ex-...representatives share ...of our homes, in the degra-...of our commonwealth, and reap ...the rewards.

"...abhorrence of the evil classes ...is linked with them in in-...It has been virtually proved ...representatives in control of ...have bidden these in-...Bidden the saloon-...bidden the gam-...bidden the dance ...bidden the haunts of ...But the government of ...has given consent to ...infamies. There is but ...That this beautiful ...of 30 churches, its 35,000 ...homes, its world-wide rec-...of citizenship, is in the ...mercy and godliness have truly failed. ...Giving a few millions to build universities, libraries or churches cannot atone for the lack of these divine goods."

Man's Tithes and God's Windows.

"Man's Tithes and God's Windows" was Rev. Herbert J. Weaver's topic at the First Lutheran Church, yesterday morning. The text was Malachi iii, 10: "Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in my house and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of Hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it." The preacher said, in part:

"As the shadows of the evening of Old Testament history lengthen into the night of no prophecy, God calls out in the gathering darkness: 'Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse.' The law of giving revealed when the race was in its infancy is reaffirmed when the human family is nearly four thousand years old. God has not changed. His laws are perfect.

"His last messenger before the one that preceded the Messiah gives us the word, 'Bring the whole tithe.' The Lord asks the tenth as a recognition that all belongs to Him. The Almighty is the owner of heaven and earth and the giver of life, liberty, health, strength and the power to get wealth. He gives the early and the latter rain. Fruitful seasons and abundant harvests are of His bounty. 'What shall we render unto the Lord for all His benefits?' The answer comes: 'Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse.'

"By conscientiously paying the tenth into the Lord's treasury, we acknowledge His sovereignty. By deliberately and wilfully withholding the Lord's portion, we come under the indictment of the prophet and are guilty of robbery. Repentance, restitution, resolution and right doing in the future is the remedy.

"God calls for the tithe to be laid on the altar not legally, but lovingly. Dr. G. Campbell Morgan wisely says: 'There is a mechanical and arithmetical correctness devoid of essential love, which God spurns. Let the tithe come as a recognition of God's love. When thus brought, it means "we love Him because He first loved us." Our love is the offspring of His love and our tithe given, a recognition of His all bestowed. Heaven's windows always swing upon love's hinges.

"When the church brings the tithe into the storehouse, and acknowledging and honoring Him, sweeps away all methods that so detract from her fulfilment of her mission and says, 'Only for thy glory do I exist,' then the blessing begins."

Sin of Covetousness.

At the First Presbyterian Church, yesterday, Rev. Dr. W. A. Hunter preached on "The Sin of Covetousness," taking as his text Luke xii:15: "Take heed and beware of covetousness." Among other things, he said:

"Some people are born impertinent. Jesus was preaching on the profoundly important themes of sin, holiness and eternity when, most inopportunely, a worldling interrupted Him with a bit of personal selfishness, saying: 'Speak to my brother that he divide the inheritance with me.' There are still to be found people whose minds are more on the earthly inheritance than on the heavenly one.

"This questioner had a brother whose covetousness developed in him very unbrotherly conduct and it gave our Lord an opportunity to utter this solemn warning against a prevailing inordinate desire to increase worldly possessions. Some people are uncomfortable, some unhappy because others have what they have not.

"Covetousness is insidious—a slow, sure eating cancer—ensnaring to Christian manhood. Other sins erupt. Not so this. One may be covetous and society not blame him. He may continue a respectable merchant, banker, Bible teacher and elude suspicion. Covetousness is deceitful—it comes in the garb of something else. It is incurable. It is an appetite that is never satisfied.

"The covetous man over-reaches himself. His motto at first may be 'get it honestly' but by and by his motto is "get it.' Man's life does not consist in what he has, but in what he is and does. A hovel does not degrade the dweller; a palace does not make a man.

"The man of this parable was rich and growing richer. He built barns and more barns. The crops outgrew the barns. His riches perplexed him, and he asked himself 'What shall I do?' There are two periods in life when people may ask that, viz.: when they have not enough, and when they have too much.

"There are not so many real misers, but many have the first touches of miserism. Men roll possessions as the boys back East roll snowballs. This man did, and said: 'Soul, thou hast much goods laid up, take thine ease, eat, drink, be merry.' God heard and said: 'Thou fool.'

"Why a fool? He laid plans and arranged his energies for great results, but could not manage the great results when they came. He succeeded but could not manage success. 'A fool' because he did not understand his relation to the world about him. God means that man should grow bigger and better. This man grew proud, centering everything in himself instead of looking out and around to benefit others. He did not appreciate the difference between his body and his soul. 'A fool' because he was postponing his happiness to the future. There is pleasure in youth, health and possessions, but all these are liable to leave us. The now ought to be packed full of hearty effort and delight. Do good now as you go and as you have opportunity. Be right in your relations to man. 'Be rich toward God.'"

Does Death End Probation?

At the Universalist services in Cumonck Hall yesterday, Rev. C. Ellwood Nash, D.D., discussed the doctrine of probation.

"The teaching that destiny is determined at death for every soul," he said, "may be called the keystone of the arch of 'orthodoxy.' Open the door of opportunity beyond the grave and every conceivable heresy may rush in. And yet this doctrine is rather assumed than proved. It has, I think, never been founded in philosophical inquiry, and its Biblical warrant is at the best most meager.

"It cannot be affirmed by any Christian that God needs to put man to the proof in order to ascertain what is in him. On the other hand, if no more is meant than that habit tends to become fixed and character permanent, then the arbitrariness of the death line as a limit is apparent. The real strength of the doctrine lies, not in any evidence or argument for it, but in the finitude of our human powers which, from sheer weariness, demand a point of rest. We wish a definite settlement of every question, to know how the story ends, and to waive the afterwards with some glittering generality. So as we cannot see beyond the tomb, it is convenient to dump our problems into limbo at that stage, and to declare that all things will go on thenceforth as they have been, or are just then.

"That men are continually being put to proof, that every period, every day or hour, is preparatory to its successor, is a platitude of our moral experience. We acquire momentum with each piece of conduct, and it becomes increasingly difficult to change our courses after long persistence in them. There is in this law a solemn warning to take heed to our ways. But the attempt to set up a mechanical barrier, such as death, only confuses the mind and discharges the law of its moral value.

"To those who have taken for granted that a doctrine so confidently held and constantly used in the practical appeals of religion must be firmly entrenched in scriptural statements, a search for the passages would be disappointing, but illuminating. Such a conservative scholar as G. Frederick Wright found only six passages he could cite with assurance; these are substantially the same as those quoted by Joseph Cook in his famous Tremont Temple demonstration. Six passages are certainly a very small number to discover in so large a volume as the Bible. Yet of these two are entirely irrelevant (Romans i, 18-28; ii, 6-16,) as they do not make the slightest allusion to death or any other line of decision, and are nothing but affirmations of the indisputable truth that unrighteousness is sure to be punished.

"The speaker than examined the four remaining passages: II Cor., v, 1; Luke xvi, 19-31; Heb., ix, 27; John viii, 21-24—and sought to show that none of them fairly interpreted carried the dogma in question.

"If it were true that revelation undertook to warn mankind that all hope of salvation terminates with death; it is inconceivable that such warning should have been given in so few instances by so few writers, and these always of dubious and debatable meaning. But it is not true; the law of life is moral, not merely governmental, and opportunity is as lasting as eternity.

"But this offers no encouragement to delay. The saved life is, on its own merit, the only life worth living, and to postpone it is only to rob oneself of the satisfactions and powers which belong to a godlike being and are synonymous with heaven. Death has nothing to do with salvation, one way or the other. Not till this faith is fixed are we in position to grasp the reality of a truly moral and spiritual gospel."

The Home and the Man.

"The Home and the Man" was the theme of Rev. J. Horace Mallows at Plymouth Congregational Church, yesterday. In the course of the address, he said:

"The God of Heaven is the God of History. The races of men are His creation, and His finger is always on the pulse of humanity. He knows earth's conditions, and is perfectly acquainted with all mundane affairs. At times it may appear otherwise, but it is only in appearance, for He knows the way we take, and is still keepin- watch over His own.

"Man's interests touch the heart of God; they are ever in His mind. The crisis brings the leader. Let an exigency arise and Moses and David and Luther and Wesley and Cromwell and Lincoln will be at hand. The Heavenly Father will not long allow the helpless and smitten to be without a leader, or the scattered flock without a shepherd.

"When institutions are out-worn: when religion has become formal and lifeless; when preachers and teachers are slaves to the letter and indifferent to the spirit; when the ecclesiastic has forged the chain and enslaved the mind of man then 'In the fullness of time God sent forth His Son.'

"Now, we are asking, 'Has God forgotten us?' The church needs a leader. It is broken into a hundred factions; its creeds are out-worn, its systems powerless. Time has made its ancient good uncouth. Its authority is questioned, and the multitudes have forsaken its sanctuaries.

"Where is the man who will reconstruct its theology, restore its waning influence, reunite its sects, and lead it to the Promised Land? He cannot be far away. The hour has come, the man will soon appear. Maybe he has come and we know him not, or knowing him, have rejected him."

If Christ Came.

To a large audience, Rev. Dr. Charles Edward Locke, at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, last evening, delivered the second of his series of addresses on "If Christ Came to Los Angeles." His theme was: "Where Would He Be Entertained?" He said in part:

"If Christ came to Los Angeles, He would feel at home in the houses of the poor. Was He not born in a cave and reared in the home of the village carpenter? In His manhood He declared 'even the foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests, but the Son of Man hath not where to lay His head.' He also said that once He was rich, but for our sakes He became poor that we, through His poverty, might be made rich. It was a notable feature of the work of Christ that the poor had the gospel preached to them. This kindly attention to the poor was so contrary to the customs of the world that it was to be proof to John the Baptist in prison that the world need not look for another Christ. "He would go to the houses of the rich, and would be cordially welcomed in any of the homes of the prosperous. He would not visit the homes of the rich for prestige, or influence; not for anything which He might gain from them, but for what He could do for them. The soul of a rich man just as much needs salvation and is just as precious in the sight of God as the soul of a poor man. The power to get wealth is given by God, and Christ would have every man dedicate this power to the kingdom of God.

"Christ would go to the homes of the sad, and restore the sick to health and the dead to life and comfort the sorrowing. He would go to the homes of the glad an dheighten the joys of the wedding feast by His presence and the social by His blessing. Christ would go to the homes of those who honestly doubt, but are seeking for the truth. Sincerity would command His sympathetic attention. He would go to the homes of publicans and sinners; and when some of Pharisaical tendencies would complain, He would answer as before: 'They that be whole need not a physician but they that are sick; I am not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.'

"If He came, He would also inquire who in Los Angeles is worthy and for a time would abide in that home. He would also go to the homes where the children are, for Jesus loved the children. They are His best illustration of the kingdom of heaven. He would have no word of approval for those people who do not welcome children to their homes, and trespass upon sacred physical laws to prevent the coming of children. This is one of the basest crimes of our civilization. The solemn purposes of the married relation are defeated when children are not wanted or welcomed. President Roosevelt has spoken no stronger or more timely words than those against race suicide.

"If we were to hear that Jesus would be our guest for a time, are there any pictures on our walls we would remove? Are there any books we would burn? Are there any games we would conceal? Are there any sideboards we would lock? Are there usual topics of conversation we would avoid? Would we have to hunt up a Bible for His use?

"If He came to our homes He would bring peace. He would drive out fretting and worry and would bless and increase all the tender love of our family circles."

Life of Joseph.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Shoaff, pastor of Trinity Church, delivered his second lecture on "The Life and Times of Joseph," last evening. Tracing the narrative from the tragic occurrence at Dothan to Joseph's promotion in the home of Potiphar, the speaker said:

"What strange emotions must have swept the heart of the boy when he found himself a slave in the hands of foreign traders. And we almost wish that these emotions had been put into words in the sacred story. But there was no need that they should be written out in words, for they have been written and rewritten in the tears and sorrows of the centuries. Then we all know something of the silence of grief. There are crises in life when we cannot speak.

"Then we again learn something about the feeling of loneliness that Joseph must have experienced down there in Egypt. Thousands were around him, but every face was strange. With the loneliness of soul that settled down upon him, what an unspeakable homesickness he must have felt. At times most of us have experienced something like this. The birds sing and they saddden us. The smiles of glad hearts seem to fling shadows of blackness across our own. My young friend, you may be a stranger in this city, tonight, and you may be having an experience something akin to the feelings we have described. I do not know who you are or what the peculiar limitation of yourself is. But the God of Joseph does. He is the young man's unchanging friend.

"The story assures us that God was with Joseph. So God seeks to enter all life. If we put our trust in Him, in us shall be fulfilled that word of divine assurance, 'He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.'

"God was with Joseph and he prospered. We should put ourselves into such an attitude of life and character that we can command the help of Almighty God. Life without God is a stranded life. Young man be sure to have partnership with God. In the second place, while God is willing to do His part, you must be willing to do yours. So many in the world are waiting and hoping for something to turn up. Do not make that mistake, my young friend. Determine, by the help of God, to turn something up. What would fair Southern California have been if the past generation had waited for something to turn up?

"The great lesson of the evening is the law of mediation that enters into all truly consecrated life. God blessed the Egyptian house for Joseph's sake. That principle runs through the divine economy through the ages. This law of mediation has its highest expression in the vicarious work and mediatorial undertaking of the Son of God."

Help the Other Fellow.

Rev. W. W. Orr began the second week of his evangelistic services at the First United Presbyterian Church yesterday by preaching in the morning, afternoon and evening. Every service was well attended.

The theme in the morning was "What Can We do for the Other Fellow?" based on Acts iii, 3, 6. "Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I thee."

"Peter," said the speaker, "made this answer to a cripple in reply to a request. This man, knowing his needs, asked, expecting to get something. We should all know our needs; most of us do, and knowing them, all we have to do is to follow the cripple's example; ask, expecting to get something.

"Peter and John did not appear to be prosperous men. We may not be prosperous, but of such as we have, we can give to those in need.

"The cripple was told to do something when he made his request, and he did it. The cure was immediate. When Christ tells us what to do, we should follow this example. Always expect to be told to do something to earn the blessing for which you ask.

"The man who asked Peter and Paul for aid was born a cripple. So are we all born crippled—crippled by sin, and being sinful, we need help.

"Peter gave what he had. Are you as a Christian willing to give what you have—not silver or gold, but what you always have with you and should be ever ready to distribute with a free hand—faith, prayer, knowledge, time and sympathy?"

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PASADENA.

BOILING TAR SEARS WORKMAN.

SPLASHES ON HIM AS ASPHALT BOILER EXPLODES.

Police Fail to Find Alleged Hold-up Man—City Will Be Well Represented at Meeting of Good Roads' Association in Sacramento Today. Sunday Concerts.

Office of The Times, No. 24 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Jan. 18.—That accidents never come singly was proved to the management of the asphalt works at the corner of Raymond avenue and California street yesterday afternoon. Frank Wilson, an employé, was severely burned by the explosion of the asphalt boiler, in a manner similar to the way in which his fellow-workman, George Thomas, was hurt Saturday.

Knowing of Thomas's accident, Wilson was more careful and this probably saved him from worse injury. Boiling tar struck him over the left eye. Fellow-workmen called an ambulance and Police Surgeon McCoy attended the man's injuries at the Emergency Hospital.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP.

Although the police searched carefully Saturday night they failed to find the man who attempted to hold up "Tennessee" Gaither, the carriage man. According to Gaither's story, he was driving along California street, when a man tried to grab the bridle of the horse. He hit him with a whip, and though the man drew a revolver he did not shoot.

DIVIDE HONORS.

The Pasadena and McCormick baseball teams each won a game in a double-header played at Raymond grounds yesterday afternoon. The visitors took the first contest by a score of 2 to 0, while the home team won the last game by the close margin of 5 to 4. Tobey and Parker pitched for Pasadena, and Wachob caught. Andrede and Coats twirled for the McCormicks and Leguin caught.

J. A. Shepp and I. Schrag made a trip up Mount Wilson yesterday in preparation for the hill climb on April 15.

GOOD ROADS.

Pasadena will be well represented at the meeting of the California Good Roads' Association in Sacramento today. President Off[illegible] of Trade, C. D. [illegible] commissioner[illegible] Coulston, A[illegible] ator C. W[illegible] will ap[illegible]

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Principals in Wedding.

Dr. Harry Sanbourn Garland of Sepulpa, Okla., and Mrs. Garland, nee Miss Edith Kinsman of Pasadena, who were married in Kansas City on the 14th inst.

[illegible] evening programme, "The Sunken Bell."

THEATER PARTY.

A private car party of forty-five guests from Hotel Gurnialda, visited the Majestic Theater, Los Angeles, Saturday night. Dinner was served on the car during the homeward journey.

Secretary Johnson of the Tournament of Roses Association accompanied by Roy Fisher, left yesterday [illegible] Hotel Coronado.

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[illegible] Charles Miller, brothers, [illegible] Robert McDonald this [illegible] r in charge of illegally [illegible]he Whitehouse Café, [illegible]s avenue. Charles [illegible]d on $400 bail Sat-

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[illegible]rge, founder of the [illegible]public, will speak be[illegible] Club of the First Uni[illegible]rch this evening.

[illegible] and Mrs. Earle Weight, [illegible] married recently, arrive in [illegible]s today, they may expect a [illegible]ing reception, for the Elks have it in hand.

GIVE DINNER PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hoyt of Butte, Mont., entertained a party of twelve at dinner at Hotel Maryland last night. The usual Sunday evening musicale was given by the orchestra. Recent arrivals at the hotel include Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Smith, Springfield Center, N. Y.; Grace L. Smith, Springfield Center, N. Y.; Mrs. Aryan Moore and guests, Los Angeles; A. C. Sombard and wife, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Giecurott, Kearney, Neb.; Money G. Quenan, Kearney, Neb.; Mrs. B. K. McMechen, Pittsburgh; L. S. Hoyt, Newcastle, Pa.; George J. Schmitt and wife, Pittsburgh; Mrs. I. C. Madden, Chicago; Mrs. Breese, Chicago; W. G. Hay, Chicago, and John H. Avery, Detroit.

The annual banquet of the Y.M.C.A. will be held Tuesday evening.

The local branch of the Los Angeles County Medical Society will hold a meeting in the office of Dr. F. C. E. Mattison, this evening.

Lancaster Lace Co. for laces, 18 S. Euclid.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, and bungalows, Pasadena.

Old laces at Grace Nicholson's.

Wadsworth sells paints.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

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NEW PUPILS ENROLLED.

Attendance at Grammar and High Schools Increases—Local Syndicate Buys Five-Acre Tract.

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan. 17.—Thirty new pupils have been enrolled in the grammar grades and three in the High School.

Five and one-half acres bounded by Mission, Oxley and Elm streets have been sold by W. G. Drew of Altadena to a syndicate of mostly local people for $12,500.

The meeting to be held in Lincoln Park tomorrow in the interest of the proposed bridge across the Arroyo Seco at the Ostrich Farm will be attended by the Supervisors and members of the Garvanza and Highland Park Improvement associations.

Miss Helen Hobert of Minneapolis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hobert of Marengo avenue, for the winter.

The lot offered by Mr. and Mrs. Walker Jones as a site for an art gallery for the Rembrandt Art Club has been withdrawn in favor of another one. Should the railway projected by Horace Dobbins be built, the first lot will be used as a depot site.

Special preparations are being made by the Presbyterian Church for the district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Los Angeles Presbytery, which will be held in the church, Tuesday. Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York City, one of the foreign missionary secretaries, will be present, as will also Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Underwood of Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Etten of New York City have leased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Avery on El Centro street for the winter. Mr. Van Etten was vice-president of the New York Central Railroad for eight years, and resigned to come West and take care of his large mining interests.

JACK ASHORE.

SAILORS BREAK INTO DEPOT.

FROLIC AT LONG BEACH ENDS IN THREE ARRESTS.

Salt Lake Railroad Company Will Prosecute Men for Malicious Trespass and Petit Larceny—Southern Beauty Repents of Attempt to Commit Suicide.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—Five sailors of the lumber schooner Salem, unloading at West Long Beach, came across the bay before daylight this morning and proceeded to make things lively on the dock. They broke into the Salt Lake depot and after smashing and looting the merchandise slot machines, dragged one to the bay and dropped it in twenty feet of water. In this drunken frolic Henry Miller followed the machine and was rescued with difficulty. Chief Williams and Sergt. Phillips arrested three of the culprits, Miller, Carl Slopez and Ed Carren. They are in jail and will be prosecuted by the Salt Lake Railroad for malicious trespass and petit larceny.

BEAUTY REPENTS.

Miss Angie Ryan, the young Southern woman who attempted suicide last night by drinking half the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid, is fully conscious today. She repents the attempt and says she will not try it again. James Alexander, visited her today and remained most of the afternoon. Mrs. Cheetham, the companion of Miss Ryan, was greatly annoyed all morning by the presence of a young fellow who made himself very officious by claiming to be a reporter. He said his name was Stewart and he wandered at will about the house. Mrs. Cheetham complained to Chief Williams. The man then acknowledged that he had lied merely to be near the girl, with whom he seems to be madly infatuated, although he first saw her last night. He gave his name as Heath, and claims to have once worked on several Los Angeles papers. The chief told him his presence was not wanted about the house and he went away, but left his cane and gloves. Chief Williams today telegraphed the girl's father, John Ryan, at Fort Moultrie, S. C., but has as yet received no answer.

PEANUT ROBBER.

At 1 o'clock this morning, Officers O'Rourke and Phillips caught J. L. DeLa Ree, a private night watchman on the Pike, in the act of robbing a peanut stand on the beach. He is charged with petit larceny.

John W. Haynes, aged 50 years, died this morning at his home on Nebraska street. Deceased was a native of Mellbrook, O., and resided in Long Beach two years. He leaves a widow and four children.

FOR IMPROVEMENTS.

The directors of the Long Beach Water Company will spend $25,000 for improvements, consisting of the construction of a large storage reservoir and electric pumping plant and the readjustment of the pumping plants on the north side of Signal Hill. The reservoir will be built on the old dam site and will be of cement 20x200 feet. It will increase the city water pressure to seventy-five pounds. The company is also arranging to replace its feed pipes across the alkali lands north of the hill with cement conduits.

Other improvements involving an expenditure of $60,000 are contemplated, possibly including replacing the steel pipe main line with one of cast iron.

BOARD REORGANIZES.

The Board of Public Works, beginning its second year's work, has reorganized by reelecting F. S. Craig president. City Clerk Boynton is secretary under the charter.

In a temperance essay contest among the pupils of the public schools, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U., prizes have been awarded to Miss Florence Ludden, high school; Miss Ida Metzgar, seventh grade, Atlantic school, and Miss Ethel Vroman, eighth grade Atlantic school.

L. O. Speers, and a party of four assistants yesterday began the surveys for the Los Angeles-Long Beach boulevard, starting at Hill street on the northern city limits.

DEVOTED TO LITERATURE.

Monrovia Club Discusses Recent Books. Tourists Crowd to Canyons—New Minister Welcomed.

MONROVIA, Jan. 17.—The midwinter session of the Saturday Afternoon Club yesterday was devoted to current literature. Miss Ellyn Hill, city librarian, gave an interesting symposium of the current magazines. Mrs. Emily A. Wheeler discussed "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and other recent books of note. Mrs. F. W. Parsons and other members gave short talks on favorite authors. Music was contributed by Miss Aileen Northrup, the well-known violinist.

The Pacific Electric was heavily taxed today with hundreds of tourists and Los Angelefios, who took advantage of the delightful weather to visit the foothills and cañons. Many other visitors made the trip in autos.

The funeral of Mrs. T. W. Wells of West Palm avenue will be held at Kirby & Turner's parlors at 3 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, and the remains will be taken to the family home in Michigan for interment.

Rev. Charles T. Radford, the newly-installed pastor of the First Christian Church held his first services today. He was warmly welcomed.

DOG POISONER AT WORK.

Sawtelle People Lose Valuable Canines—New City Treasurer. Trowel Celebration.

SAWTELLE, Jan. 17.—Residents who own dogs to which they have become attached are bemoaning the presence of a cowardly dog poisoner. A number of valuable pets have fallen during the past few days, and although diligent efforts have been made to locate the culprit he has thus far eluded capture.

William H. Williams is the new City Treasurer, having been chosen to succeed C. H. Clark, resigned.

Local Masons are in high glee over the anticipated visit of the traveling trowel. It is due to arrive here Tuesday evening and at that time there will be a pleasant reception in its honor.

R. F. McClellan is en route to Valdez, Alaska, where he is heavily interested in copper properties that promise to prove a bonanza for the owners. He has gone North to act as superintendent in the installation of machinery.

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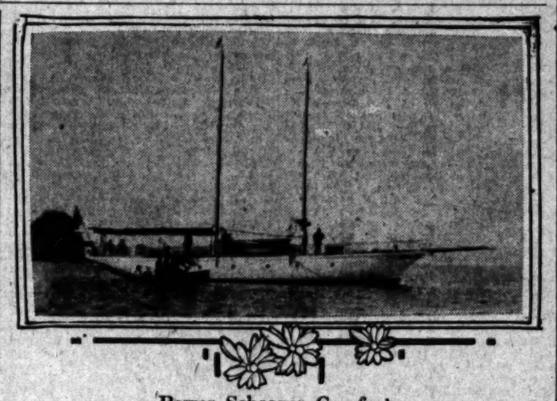

Power Schooner Comfort,

which has just returned to Avalon with some rare marine specimens caught in the Gulf of California. Its owner is C. G. Conn, millionaire leader of the expedition.

TUNA CLUB GETS ALBUM.

Gift Contains Valuable Photographs Taken by Members of Expedition to Lower California.

AVALON, Jan. 17.—An album containing over 100 views made by members of the ichthyological expedition who recently journeyed on the power schooner Comfort to the Gulf of California, was received at the Tuna Club yesterday. It is the gift of C. G. Conn, the leader of the expedition. Photographs of fish marked "unknown" are numerous. Striped black bass weighing sixty pounds and white sea bass tipping the scales at 128 pounds were captured by L. G. Murphy and Mr. Conn and several "rooster fish."

This is the second expedition of its kind which the millionaire exthusiast has outfitted within the last five years. Work on a book of adventures around Tiburon Island, with the uncivilized natives, has so far prevented the publication of the facts obtained by the anglers during the cruise.

POMONA IMPROVEMENTS.

Nearly Half-Million Expended in Buildings—Many Permits Taken Out This Month.

POMONA, Jan. 17.—This valley is experiencing noteworthy building activity. In Pomona alone, $483,000 worth of buildings were erected last year, including two churches and many attractive residences. According to the report of Building Inspector Cowles, 327 permits were issued as against 260 for 1907, the amount involved being about $90,000 more than the previous year. The amount represented by December permits alone was $70,000. The activity is continuing, many more permits having been issued this month.

LOCAL TEAM WINS.

Pomona High School, represented by Messrs. Belcher and Rice, won the debate with the Occidental Academy team, composed of Messrs. Gaskill and Clayton, held at the local high school auditorium.

The recently-elected officers of Pomona Council, Knights of Columbus, will be installed at a meeting tomorrow evening by John B. Burke, district deputy and grand knight of the Los Angeles Council. The officers are: H. M. Fay, Grand Knight; Thomas Doyle, Deputy Grand Knight; Homer L. Duffy, Warden; Leon Lucas, Advocate; J. Vincent Hannon, Chancellor; J. F. H. Beckerer, Financial Secretary; C. Mahoney, Recording Secretary; F. W. Balfour, Treasurer; Vincent Lucas, J. T. Lawrence, B. M. Lederer, Trustees; P. Palomares, Inside Guard; J. Kauffman, Outside Guard; B. H. Lederer, J. F. H. Beckerer, F. J. Doyle, Auditing Committee.

REVIVAL MEETINGS.

A series of revival meetings will be commenced tomorrow evening at the Baptist Church, to continue three weeks.

At the service at Pilgrim Congregational Church this morning Rev. Dr. Shepherd occupied the pulpit in place of the pastor, Rev. George E. Soper, who is at Imperial. Dr. Shepherd surprised the congregation by stating that Rev. Mr. Soper had been waited upon by a committee in charge of educational work in Imperial Valley with reference to his becoming head of a Christian school recently founded there. He stated that Mr. Soper, who has been the successful Congregational pastor here for six years, had gone to Imperial to look over the field. Recently the Christian and Congregational denominations have united in educational work in the valley.

Funeral services for the late John Wasson will be held tomorrow afternoon at the First Unitarian Church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Heber Rice officiating. The local Masonic lodge will have charge at the cemetery.

RUMORS OF COMPROMISE.

Los Angeles-Pacific Railway and Santa Monica Council May Be Able to Settle Differences.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 17.—The air is filled with rumors of a compromise between the city and the trolley line. The ordinance declaring the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company's franchise forfeited has been finally passed and sent to the Mayor. He will have it several days longer and the chances are that there will be no new developments in the rebellion tomorrow night. So far as outward indications go, the City Council is not back-pedaling. On the other hand, officialdom entertains the fond hope that the trolley company's big budget of bonds is not yet entirely through and that the fate of the bonds hinges on the perfecting of the franchise about to be pronounced null and void. Such being the case, the trolley line will, it is thought, make overtures for peace.

ACCUSED OF BURGLARY.

Oscar Freedman, a young man who has recently been employed in driving a meat wagon in the Pier-avenue section of the city, was arrested today on a charge of burglary. It seems that about a month ago the Nittinger home on Raymond avenue was entered by robbers, who secured a watch and a gun. The latter was located several days ago in a second-hand store, and through that source was traced to Freedman. When he was arrested the missing watch was discovered in his pocket.

Santa Monica's new baseball team won the first game it played on the new Tenth-street grounds. The contestants were the Brunemans of Los Angeles and the score was 8 to 3. It is expected to play a game here every Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy have removed to Gardena, they having exchanged their store here for the W. H. Hankins home. Mr. Hankins has transferred his place of residence to Santa Monica.

VENICE.

BEACH VISITED BY BIG CROWD.

MIDWINTER OPENING ATTRACTS TOURISTS AND TOWNSMEN.

Newly Organized Band Gives Popular Programme and City Wears Jaunty Air Reminding of Good Old Summer Time—City Trustee Retires from Business.

VENICE, Jan. 17. — Delightful weather favored the midwinter opening of Venice. A big crowd visited the strand for the purpose of hearing the newly-organized Chiaffarelli Italian Band. Classical selections and popular melodies were rendered. Another event was the formal opening of the new aquarium.

The Windward hotel and the St. Mark café opened their doors for business today, the miniature railway was in operation, the fleets of pleasure boats were busy, and all Venice wore a jaunty air reminding of the good old summer time.

City Trustee Mayer has retired from business.

C. A. Coult is a visitor from Chicago, being the guest of his brother, Joseph. The brothers had not met for ten years.

E. R. Waymire of Dayton, Ohio, is spending some time at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Potter of London, Eng., are spending a few weeks at the seaside.

The Venice Chamber of Commerce has decided to turn itself into an old-fashioned debating club at the next meeting. Opposing speakers will attempt to decide whether lawyers are really qualified to act as judges or justices of the peace.

MAY DELAY ACTION.

Venice Asks Ocean Park Trustees to Submit Lighting Rates Question to the Voters.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 17.—The gas and electric light question is to be taken up by the Trustees at their meeting tomorrow night. An ordinance attempting to regulate the rates and establish a standard of quality is under consideration. The Venice Chamber of Commerce has asked the Trustees to submit the ordinance to a vote of the people before adopting it. This resolution may result in delaying the contemplated action. The present rate for electric lights is 12½ cents per kilowatt hour. The resolution asks that the rate be made 8 cents.

Mrs. E. A. Carpenter of Fort Williams, Ontario, is passing a season at the beach.

J. W. George and family of Minneapolis have taken a Third-street residence for the remaining months of winter.

CANYON ROAD STILL OPEN.

LORDSBURG, Jan. 17.—Supervisor Manning has won a victory for the people, which has gained for him a host of friends here. Ever since Los Angeles county lost all claim to a public road up San Antonio Cañon, the people have zealously guarded their rights to roads up Live Oak Cañon, one of the most picturesque resorts in this vicinity.

There are several residents in the cañon, and hundreds of Pomona citizens visit the place, it is also the main road leading to Brown's Flats. Travel has been uninterrupted for thirty-five years.

Recently the purchaser of some land a mile below the cañon, through which this road passes, put up barriers to keep the public out.

Supervisor Manning took the matter up and yesterday the obstructions were removed, and Road Foreman Hickman reopened the road to the public and graded it.

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Legal Notice.

Notice is hereby given that, in pursuance of a resolution and order of the Board of Directors of The Edison Electric Company, adopted at a meeting of said Board, duly held in the office of the Company, on the 10th day of December, 1908, a special meeting of the stockholders of said The Edison Electric Company will be held at the office of the Company in the First National Bank Building, in the City of Evanston, County of Uinta, State of Wyoming, the same being the principal place of business of said corporation, on the 27th day of February, 1909, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of considering and acting upon the proposition to create a bonded indebtedness of said corporation, and to increase the bonded indebtedness of said corporation to the amount in the aggregate of $30,000,000 in gold coin of the United States, and to secure the bonded indebtedness so proposed to be created and increased by trust deed upon all the properties of said company, real, personal and mixed, of every nature and character whatsoever, wheresoever situated, whether the same be now held or hereafter acquired by it.

Dated December 18, 1908.

By order of the Board of Directors.

R. H. BALLARD,
Secretary of The Edison Electric Company.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Los Angeles Electric Company will be held at the company's offices, No. 645 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 27th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected, and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.
Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1909.

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Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

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R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.
Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1909.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS.

SAN DIEGO.

KING'S" CURSE PUT ON WOMAN.

"MAJESTY" NEEDS MONEY AND IS BITTER.

[illegible]ustrates Mrs. Scharf of Texas [illegible]th Illness Because She Has not [illegible]ished Cash for Expedition to [illegible]Sleep" South Sea Island. [illegible] Fog Bound.

[illegible] DIEGO, Jan. 17.—"I will put [illegible]urse on her and she will get sick [illegible]." Thus spoke "King" Schlatter, [illegible]destroyer to found a kingdom on [illegible] South Sea Island, when shown a [illegible]ram from Fort Worth, Tex., to [illegible] that Mrs. Annie Scharf had [illegible]$5000 to help in defraying the [illegible] expenses.

[illegible]s true," said Schlatter, "that I [illegible]had some dealings with Mrs. [illegible]f but she has sent me no money. [illegible] I was in Ft. Worth, last fall, [illegible]me to me for treatment. I [illegible]her of sickness. She so publicly [illegible]ed and promised to pay me $75. [illegible] not ask her for money. She [illegible] the promise of her own free will. [illegible]s a wealthy woman but up to [illegible]present time I have received [illegible]. The story that she gave me [illegible]is untrue and for it I will put [illegible]urse on her, making her sick [illegible]

"King" says he inherited an island from Alexander Dowie and that Scharf and her husband promised to bring to San Diego, by the 15th [illegible] money to fit out an expedition [illegible] South Sea. This island, he declares, is marvelously rich in gold. [illegible] for Mrs. Scharf," he remarked, [illegible]is an ingrate, and the curse of [illegible] will be on her the rest of her [illegible]

[illegible]TERBOATS HELD BY FOG.

[illegible] account of the heavy fog over the entrance to the bay, vessels arriving yesterday afternoon were unable to come into the harbor. Among those was the State of California, with passengers from San Francisco and Seattle; the lumber schooner [illegible], and the coal collier Tordenskjold. For two days the fog has kept fishing vessels in port.

[illegible]T OFFICER TRANSFERRED.

[illegible] Lieut. A. S. Abbott, one of the [illegible] young officers at Fort Rosecrans, has again been transferred. He will leave Monday for Fort Bayard, N. M. He was assigned to the [illegible]-eighth Company at Fort Rosecrans only a short time ago, coming [illegible] Fort Wadsworth.

[illegible]ry E. Mudge, second vice-president of the Rock Island system, accompanied by Mrs. Mudge, is touring Southern California. They spent Saturday and Sunday in Coronado and this city and [illegible] at Escondido, where they [illegible] guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. [illegible]. They will be in Los Angeles [illegible]

MAJORITY FAIL.

Two Out of Six Applicants for Teachers' Certificates Pass at El Centro.

EL CENTRO, Jan. 17.—But two of six applicants for teachers' certificates passed the examination before the Imperial County Board of Education last week. The successful ones were Hallway of Anaheim and [illegible] E. Bisson of Pasadena.

[illegible]. Rummelein, Catholic priest of the Imperial Valley diocese, has been at St. Joseph's Sanatorium, San [illegible], because of threatened pneu-

[illegible] Imperial County Teachers' Institute will be held in El Centro the [illegible] beginning March 15. Several [illegible] educators will be here at that time, among them being the State Superintendent of Public Instruction [illegible] Koppel, Superintendent of Schools of Los Angeles county.

[illegible]. H. Bodkin, publisher of the [illegible] Valley News, has won his suit against William B. Edwards of Holtville, for land in the [illegible] Valley, near the new town [illegible] City.

[illegible]nto is to have a city scavenger. The City Attorney is to prepare [illegible] ordinances providing for this office [illegible]

[illegible] DeCoursey and Chick Reeder [illegible] have a boxing bout here Tuesday night.

[illegible] Chafin, Prohibition party Presidential candidate, during the last campaign visit Imperial Valley cities [illegible] and will deliver several addresses here.

[illegible] have been taken by the Yuma [illegible] Club to raise money to [illegible] the Colorado River between [illegible] and Imperial county.

[illegible] Wells-Fargo Express Company [illegible] the Western Union Telegraph [illegible] have secured new quarters [illegible] street, near Fifth. A nine-[illegible] lease was obtained.

RUNAWAYS CAPTURED.

Young Indian Girls from Sherman Institute Found in Company of Mexican.

[illegible], Jan. 16.—Three young Indian girls, who ran away from the Sherman Institute at Arlington, were found on the Prado, several miles below [illegible] last night. They were with a Mexican, Marshal Lyman found the girls were brought to Colton. The institute officials notified, and Superintendent coming for them later. [illegible] arrived days.

[illegible] visitors of the Corona National Bank [illegible] last evening by elected [illegible] Terpening president; C. L. [illegible] vice-president; G. R. Freeman; Harry Lyman, cashier.

COLTON.

[illegible], Jan. 17.—A controversy is [illegible] between the Trustees and the San [illegible] Valley Traction Company, [illegible] relating its tracks in the downtown district. The city desires the [illegible] to put the rails nearer the [illegible] of the road at the corner [illegible] Eighth streets.

[illegible] W. Wisham, who has been [illegible] for three weeks, suffering from blood poisoning in the [illegible], is still in a serious condition.

[illegible] Hetke, who was injured last [illegible] by getting his leg crushed in a [illegible] at the cement works, has had [illegible] second operations, has had [illegible] set in. The leg had been cut off at the hip.

[illegible] Smith, formerly Miss [illegible], is a guest at the home [illegible]'s parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

[illegible]-Pioneer! The New Strike!

[illegible] and Tonopah and Tidewater [illegible] to Springdale. New. The [illegible] service from Springdale [illegible] minutes. Fare 11 each [illegible] commenced. Get in early.

[illegible] Eggs 12c.

[illegible] South Broadway.

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PASADENA.

BOILING TAR SEARS WORKMAN.

SPLASHES ON HIM AS ASPHALT BOILER EXPLODES.

Police Fail to Find Alleged Hold-up Man—City Will Be Well Represented at Meeting of Good Roads' Association in Sacramento Today. Sunday Concerts.

Office of The Times, No. 25 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Jan. 18.—That accidents never come singly was proved to the management of the asphalt works at the corner of Raymond avenue and California street yesterday afternoon. Frank Wilson, an employé, was severely burned by the explosion of the asphalt boiler, in a manner similar to the way in which his fellow-workman, George Thomas, was hurt Saturday.

Knowing of Thomas's accident, Wilson was more careful and this probably saved him from worse injury. Boiling tar struck him over the left eye. Fellow-workmen called an ambulance and Police Surgeon McCoy attended the man's injuries at the Emergency Hospital.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP.

Although the police searched carefully Saturday night they failed to find the man who attempted to hold up "Tennessee" Gaither, the carriage man. According to Gaither's story, he was driving along California street, when a man tried to grab the bridle of the horse. He hit him with a whip, and though the man drew a revolver he did not shoot.

DIVIDE HONORS.

The Pasadena and McCormick baseball teams each won a game in a double-header played at Raymond grounds yesterday afternoon. The visitors took the first contest by a score of 2 to 0, while the home team won the last game by the close margin of 5 to 4. Tobey and Parker pitched for Pasadena, and Wachob caught. Andrede and Coats twirled for the McCormicks and Leguin caught.

J. A. Shepp and I. Schrag made a trip up Mount Wilson yesterday in preparation for the hill climb on April 18.

GOOD ROADS.

Pasadena will be well represented at the meeting of the California Good Roads' Association in Sacramento today. President Off of the Board of Trade, C. D. Daggett, good roads commissioner; Henry Newby, J. B. Coulston, Assemblyman Cattell, Senator C. W. Bell and Charles E. Grosse will appear on behalf of this city.

CONCERTS ENJOYED.

A large and appreciative crowd heard the first band concert in Library Park yesterday afternoon. Many church members were present. The place was orderly and the music was high class. Those who went to criticise found no cause for censure. Considerable feeling has been shown here at times over Sunday concerts.

SPEAKS TO MEN.

A large audience heard Dr. John Willis Baer, of Occidental College, at the First Methodist Church yesterday afternoon. His talk to men was under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. It was a plea for better manhood and citizenship.

FOR ITALIAN RELIEF.

Although Secretary Bertoneau of the Board of Trade has worked hard during the past few days, he has secured but $1442 for the relief of the suffering people of Italy. He believes Pasadena should raise more in proportion to its population than any other city in the State, and while thankful for the donations received is looking for more. The fund is handled through the Red Cross Society of America.

REALTY SALES.

The second sale this month involving over $20,000 is reported in the Oak Knoll district, the property transferred being five acres of partly improved property at the corner of San Pasqual street and Hill avenue for a consideration of $22,000. Samuel Couples Pierce is the purchaser, William S. Johnson being the seller. The property is improved with a modern seven-room bungalow and part is set to oranges.

MIDWINTER DELIGHTS

Oranges were conspicuous at Hotel Maryland last night, when a special car party returned from a delightful visit to Glendora, Azusa, Monrovia, Duarte and other points. At Glendora the party was met by Mayor Whitcomb, who had a number of autos ready and took the visitors through the orange groves, where they were allowed to gather fruit to their heart's content. They also visited the poppy fields.

Among the party were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Schmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith, Miss Smith, Miss Mary Kennedy, Mrs. H. W. Smith, Miss Harriett Smith, Mrs. T. J. Porte, Mrs. Wilbur Day, Miss Day, Mrs. James Miner, Mrs. F. S. Kenfield, Miss Elizabeth Kenfield, D. M. Linnard, LeRoy Linnard, Paul Smith, E. P. McCormack, M. D. Stambach, W. S. Day and Walter E. Radcliffe.

SHAKESPEARE CLUB.

The programme at the Shakespeare Club Saturday afternoon was in charge of Mrs. Susan Sorin Holmes, Mrs. Laura Prentice Stevens, Mrs. Henry Holbrook, and Mrs. R. H. Pinney. Following a comprehensive and scholarly estimate of the Bard of Avon and his work, by Mrs. Holmes, three scenes from Shakespeare were given. The first was from "The Tempest," Miss Anna Machin personating Fernando, and Miss Thirza Merriam, Miranda. The happy introduction to this scene was given by Mrs. Pinney.

The second scene was from "As You Like It," being in "The Forest of Arden," when the bewitching Rosalind teases Orlando. The costumes were most artistic in russets, reds and browns, and the acting was excellent. Miss Phelps took the part of the love-lorn swain, while Miss Estall made a captivating Rosalind. The setting for this scene was described by Mrs. Stevens. "Macbeth" was the third play from which a scene was presented, Mrs. Hayden taking the part of Lady Macbeth, Miss Phelps, the physician, and Miss Crawford, the nurse. Between the scenes an orchestra played several selections.

Mrs. Merrill Moore Grigg of Los Angeles is to present a dramatic recital from Parsifal next Saturday.

On Tuesday afternoon the second Current Events programme will be given by that section, Mrs. Mary M. Conan being the leader. Wednesday the music section will hold its regular meeting. Tuesday evening Mrs. Dorothea Houglin-Hayden will present an evening programme, "The Sunken Bell."

THEATER PARTY.

A private car party of forty-five guests from Hotel Gurniada, visited the Majestic Theater, Los Angeles, Saturday night. Dinner was served on the car during the homeward journey.

Secretary Johnson of the Tournament of Roses Association accompanied by Roy Fisher, left yesterday for Hotel Coronado.

President Cary of the Tournament of Roses Association says a balance of nearly $25,000 will be on hand when all the bills are paid.

George and Charles Miller, brothers, will face Justice Robert McDonald this morning to answer a charge of illegally selling liquor at the Whitehouse Café, on South Fair Oaks avenue. Charles Miller was released on $600 bail Saturday.

WOMAN SHOOTS COON.

Miss Laura Swihart, a former Throop student, shot a coon on her father's ranch in Las Casitas. The animal was killed, after having been treed by a dog. It measured two and a half feet in length.

Rev. Tully C. Knowles, professor of history in the University of Southern California, began a series of lectures on the "Life of Christ," at the Lincoln-avenue Methodist Church last evening. He will speak again tonight.

William L. George, founder of the George Junior Republic, will speak before the Men's Club of the First Universalist Church this evening.

When Mr. and Mrs. Earle Weight, who were married recently, arrive in Pasadena today, they may expect a rousing reception, for the Elks have it in hand.

GIVE DINNER PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hoyt of Butte, Mont., entertained a party of twelve at dinner at Hotel Maryland last night. The usual Sunday evening musicale was given by the orchestra. Recent arrivals at the hotel include Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Smith, Springfield Center, N. Y.; Grace L. Smith, Springfield Center, N. Y.; Mrs. Aryan Moore and guests, Los Angeles; A. C. Somhard and wife, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Giecurott, Kearney, Neb.; Money G. Quenan, Kearney, Neb.; Mrs. B. K. McMechen, Pittsburgh; L. S. Hoyt, Newcastle, Pa.; George J. Schmitt and wife, Pittsburgh; Mrs. I. C. Madden, Chicago; Mrs. Breese, Chicago; W. G. Hay, Chicago, and John H. Avery, Detroit.

The annual banquet of the Y.M.C.A. will be held Tuesday evening.

The local branch of the Los Angeles County Medical Society will hold a meeting in the office of Dr. F. C. E. Mattison, this evening.

Lancaster Lace Co. for laces, 18 S. Euclid.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, and bungalows, Pasadena.

Old laces at Grace Nicholson's.

Wadsworth sells paints.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

Times Cook books at Pasadena Branch Office.

NEW PUPILS ENROLLED.

Attendance at Grammar and High Schools Increases—Local Syndicate Buys Five-Acre Tract.

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan. 17.—Thirty new pupils have been enrolled in the grammar grades and three in the High School.

Five and one-half acres bounded by Mission, Oxley and Elm streets have been sold by W. G. Drew of Altadena to a syndicate of mostly local people for $12,500.

The meeting to be held in Lincoln Park tomorrow in the interest of the proposed bridge across the Arroyo Seco at the Ostrich Farm will be attended by the Supervisors and members of the Garvanza and Highland Park Improvement associations.

Miss Helen Hobert of Minneapolis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hobert of Marengo avenue, for the winter.

The lot offered by Mr. and Mrs. Walker Jones as a site for an art gallery for the Rembrandt Art Club has been withdrawn in favor of another one. Should the railway projected by Horace Dobbins be built, the first lot will be used as a depot site.

Special preparations are being made by the Presbyterian Church for the district meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Los Angeles Presbytery, which will be held in the church, Tuesday. Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York City, one of the foreign missionary secretaries, will be present, as will also Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Underwood of Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Etten of New York City have leased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Avery on El Centro street for the winter. Mr. Van Etten was vice-president of the New York Central Railroad for eight years, and resigned to come West and take care of his large mining interests.

Principals in Wedding.

Dr. Harry Sanbourn Garland of Sepulpa, Okla., and Mrs. Garland, nee Miss Edith Kinsman of Pasadena, who were married in Kansas City on the 14th inst.

JACK ASHORE.

SAILORS BREAK INTO DEPOT.

FROLIC AT LONG BEACH ENDS IN THREE ARRESTS.

Salt Lake Railroad Company Will Prosecute Men for Malicious Trespass and Petit Larceny—Southern Beauty Repents of Attempt to Commit Suicide.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—Five sailors of the lumber schooner Salem, unloading at West Long Beach, came across the bay before daylight this morning and proceeded to make things lively on the dock. They broke into the Salt Lake depot and after smashing and looting the merchandise slot machines, dragged one to the bay and dropped it in twenty feet of water. In this drunken frolic Henry Miller followed the machine and was rescued with difficulty. Chief Williams and Sergt. Phillips arrested three of the culprits, Miller, Carl Slopes and Ed Carren. They are in jail and will be prosecuted by the Salt Lake Railroad for malicious trespass and petit larceny.

BEAUTY REPENTS.

Miss Anzie Ryan, the young Southern woman who attempted suicide last night by drinking half the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid, is fully conscious today. She repents the attempt and says she will not try it again. James Alexander, visited her today and remained most of the afternoon. Mrs. Cheetham, the companion of Miss Ryan, was greatly annoyed all morning by the presence of a young fellow who made himself very officious by claiming to be a reporter. He said his name was Stewart and he wandered at will about the house. Mrs. Cheetham complained to Chief Williams. The man then acknowledged that he had lied merely to be near the girl, with whom he seems to be madly infatuated, although he first saw her last night. He gave his name as Heath, and claims to have once worked on several Los Angeles papers. The chief told him his presence was not wanted about the house and he went away, but left his cane and gloves. Chief Williams today telegraphed the girl's father, John Ryan, at Fort Moultrie, S. C., but has as yet received no answer.

PEANUT ROBBER.

At 1 o'clock this morning, Officers O'Rourke and Phillips caught J. L. DeLa Ree, a private night watchman on the Pike, in the act of robbing a peanut stand on the beach. He is charged with petit larceny.

John W. Haynes, aged 50 years, died this morning at his home on Nebraska street. Deceased was a native of Mellbrook, O., and resided in Long Beach two years. He leaves a widow and four children.

FOR IMPROVEMENTS.

The directors of the Long Beach Water Company will spend $25,000 for improvements, consisting of the construction of a large storage reservoir and electric pumping plant and the readjustment of the pumping plants on the north side of Signal Hill. The reservoir will be built on the old dam site and will be of cement 20x200 feet. It will increase the city water pressure to seventy-five pounds. The company is also arranging to replace its feed pipes across the alkali lands north of the hill with cement conduits.

Other improvements involving an expenditure of $40,000 are contemplated, possibly including replacing the steel pipe main line with one of cast iron.

BOARD REORGANIZES.

The Board of Public Works, beginning its second year's work, has reorganized by reelecting F. S. Craig president. City Clerk Boynton is secretary under the charter.

In a temperance essay contest among the pupils of the public schools, under the auspices of the W.C.T.U., prizes have been awarded to Miss Florence Ludden, high school; Miss Ida Metzgar, seventh grade, Atlantic school, and Miss Ethel Vroman, eighth grade Atlantic school.

L. O. Speers, and a party of four assistants yesterday began the surveys for the Los Angeles-Long Beach boulevard, starting at Hill street on the northern city limits.

DEVOTED TO LITERATURE.

Monrovia Club Discusses Recent Books. Tourists Crowd to Canyons—New Minister Welcomed.

MONROVIA, Jan. 17.—The midwinter session of the Saturday Afternoon Club yesterday was devoted to current literature. Miss Ellyn Hill, city librarian, gave an interesting symposium of the current magazines. Mrs. Emily A. Wheeler discussed "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," and other recent books of note. Mrs. F. W. Parsons and other members gave short talks on favorite authors. Music was contributed by Miss Aileen Northrup, the well-known violinist.

The Pacific Electric was heavily taxed today with hundreds of tourists and Los Angeleños, who took advantage of the delightful weather to visit the foothills and cañons. Many other visitors made the trip in autos.

The funeral of Mrs. T. W. Wells of West Palm avenue will be held at Kirby & Turner's parlors at 3 o'clock p.m. tomorrow, and the remains will be taken to the family home in Michigan for interment.

Rev. Charles T. Radford, the newly-installed pastor of the First Christian Church held his first services today. He was warmly welcomed.

DOG POISONER AT WORK.

Sawtelle People Lose Valuable Canines—New City Treasurer. Trowel Celebration.

SAWTELLE, Jan. 17.—Residents who own dogs to which they have become attached are bemoaning the presence of a cowardly dog poisoner. A number of valuable pets have fallen during the past few days, and although diligent efforts have been made to locate the culprit he has thus far eluded capture.

William H. Williams is the new City Treasurer, having been chosen to succeed C. H. Clark, resigned.

Local Masons are in high glee over the anticipated visit of the traveling trowel. It is due to arrive here Tuesday evening and at that time there will be a pleasant reception in its honor.

R. F. McClellan is en route to Valdez, Alaska, where he is heavily interested in copper properties that promise to prove a bonanza for the owners. He has gone North to act as superintendent in the installation of machinery.

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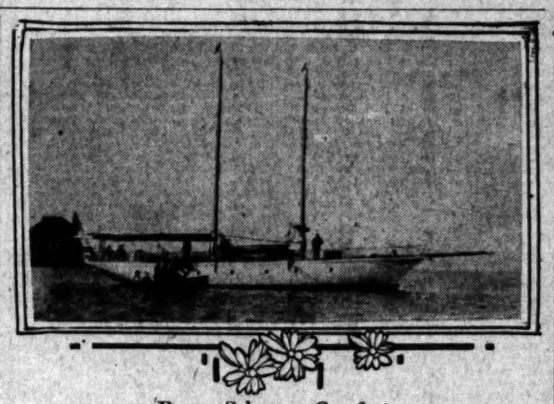

Power Schooner Comfort,

which has just returned to Avalon with some rare marine specimens caught in the Gulf of California. Its owner is C. G. Conn, millionaire leader of the expedition.

TUNA CLUB GETS ALBUM.

Gift Contains Valuable Photographs Taken by Members of Expedition to Lower California.

AVALON, Jan. 17.—An album containing over 100 views made by members of the ichthyological expedition who recently journeyed on the power schooner Comfort to the Gulf of California, was received at the Tuna Club yesterday. It is the gift of C. G. Conn, the leader of the expedition. Photographs of fish marked "unknown" are numerous. Striped black bass weighing sixty pounds and white sea bass tipping the scales at 138 pounds were captured by L. G. Murphy and Mr. Conn and several "rooster fish."

This is the second expedition of its kind which the millionaire exthusiast has outfitted within the last five years. Work on a book of adventures around Tiburon Island, with the uncivilized natives, has so far prevented the publication of the facts obtained by the anglers during the cruise.

POMONA IMPROVEMENTS.

Nearly Half-Million Expended in Buildings—Many Permits Taken Out This Month.

POMONA, Jan. 17.—This valley is experiencing noteworthy building activity. In Pomona alone, $483,000 worth of buildings were erected last year, including two churches and many attractive residences. According to the report of Building Inspector Cowles, 227 permits were issued as against 260 for 1907, the amount involved being about $90,000 more than the previous year. The amount represented by December permits alone was $70,000. The activity is continuing, many more permits having been issued this month.

LOCAL TEAM WINS.

Pomona High School, represented by Messrs. Belcher and Rice, won the debate with the Occidental Academy team, composed of Messrs. Gaskill and Clayton, held at the local high school auditorium.

The recently-elected officers of Pomona Council, Knights of Columbus, will be installed at a meeting tomorrow evening by John B. Burke, district deputy and grand knight of the Los Angeles Council. The officers are: H. M. Fay, Grand Knight; Thomas Doyle, Deputy Grand Knight; Homer L. Duffy, Warden; Leon Lucas, Advocate; J. Vincent Hannon, Chancellor; J. F. H. Beckerer, Financial Secretary; C. Mahoney, Recording Secretary; P. W. Halfour, Treasurer; Vincent Lucas, J. T. Lawrence, B. M. Lederer, Trustees; P. Palomares, Inside Guard; J. Kauffman, Outside Guard; B. H. Lederer, J. F. H. Beckerer, F. J. Doyle, Auditing Committee.

REVIVAL MEETINGS.

A series of revival meetings will be commenced tomorrow evening at the Baptist Church, to continue three weeks.

At the service at Pilgrim Congregational Church this morning Rev. Dr. Shepherd occupied the pulpit in place of the pastor, Rev. George E. Soper, who is at Imperial. Dr. Shepherd surprised the congregation by stating that Rev. Mr. Soper had been waited upon by a committee in charge of educational work in Imperial Valley with reference to his becoming head of a Christian school recently founded there. He stated that Mr. Soper, who has been the successful Congregational pastor here for six years, had gone to Imperial to look over the field. Recently the Christian and Congregational denominations have united in educational work in the valley.

Funeral services for the late John Wasson will be held tomorrow afternoon at the First Unitarian Church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Heber Rice officiating. The local Masonic lodge will have charge at the cemetery.

RUMORS OF COMPROMISE.

Los Angeles-Pacific Railway and Santa Monica Council May Be Able to Settle Differences.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 17.—The air is filled with rumors of a compromise between the city and the trolley line. The ordinance declaring the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway Company's franchise forfeited has been finally passed and sent to the Mayor. He will have it several days longer and the chances are that there will be no new developments in the rebellion tomorrow night. So far as outward indications go, the City Council is not back-pedaling. On the other hand, officialdom entertains the fond hope that the trolley company's big budget of bonds is not yet entirely through and that the fate of the bonds hinges on the perfecting of the franchise about to be pronounced null and void. Such being the case, the trolley line will, it is thought, make overtures for peace.

ACCUSED OF BURGLARY.

Oscar Freedman, a young man who has recently been employed in driving a meat wagon in the Pier-avenue section of the city, was arrested today on a charge of burglary. It seems that about a month ago the Nittinger home on Raymond avenue was entered by robbers, who secured a watch and a gun. The latter was located several days ago in a second-hand store, and through that source was traced to Freedman. When he was arrested the missing watch was discovered in his pocket.

Santa Monica's new baseball team won the first game it played on the new Tenth-street grounds. The contestants were the Brunemans of Los Angeles and the score was 8 to 3. It is expected to play a game here every Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy have removed to Gardena, they having exchanged their store here for the W. H. Hankins home. Mr. Hankins has transferred his place of residence to Santa Monica.

VENICE.

BEACH VISITED BY BIG CROWD.

MIDWINTER OPENING ATTRACTS TOURISTS AND TOWNSMEN.

Newly Organized Band Gives Popular Programme and City Wears Jaunty Air Reminiscent of Good Old Summer Time—City Trustee Retires from Business.

VENICE, Jan. 17. — Delightful weather favored the midwinter opening of Venice. A big crowd visited the strand for the purpose of hearing the newly-organized Chiaffarelli Italian Band. Classical selections and popular melodies were rendered. Another event was the formal opening of the new aquarium.

The Windward hotel and the St. Mark café opened their doors for business today, the miniature railway was in operation, the fleets of pleasure boats were busy, and all Venice wore a jaunty air reminsdful of the good old summer time.

City Trustee Mayer has retired from business.

C. A. Coult is a visitor from Chicago, being the guest of his brother, Joseph. The brothers had not met for ten years.

E. K. Waymire of Dayton, Ohio, is spending some time at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Potter of London, Eng., are spending a few weeks at the seaside.

The Venice Chamber of Commerce has decided to turn itself into an old-fashioned debating club at the next meeting. Opposing speakers will attempt to decide whether lawyers are really qualified to act as judges or justices of the peace.

MAY DELAY ACTION.

Venice Asks Ocean Park Trustees to Submit Lighting Rates Question to the Voters.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 17.—The gas and electric light question is to be taken up by the Trustees at their meeting tomorrow night. An ordinance attempting to regulate the rates and establish a standard of quality is under consideration. The Venice Chamber of Commerce has asked the Trustees to submit the ordinance to a vote of the people before adopting it. This resolution may result in delaying the contemplated action. The present rate for electric lights is 12½ cents per kilowatt hour. The resolution asks that the rate be made 8 cents.

Mrs. E. A. Carpenter of Fort Williams, Ontario, is passing a season at the beach.

J. W. George and family of Minneapolis have taken a Third-street residence for the remaining months of winter.

CANYON ROAD STILL OPEN.

LORDSBURG, Jan. 17.—Supervisor Manning has won a victory for the people, which has gained for him a host of friends here. Ever since Los Angeles county lost all claim to a public road up San Antonio Cañon, the people have zealously guarded their rights to roads up Live Oak Cañon, one of the most picturesque resorts in this vicinity.

There are several residents in the cañon, and hundreds of Pomona citizens visit the place. It is also the main road leading to Brown's Flats. Travel has been uninterrupted for thirty-five years.

Recently the purchaser of some land a mile below the cañon, through which this road passes, put up barriers to keep the public out.

Supervisor Manning took the matter up and yesterday the obstructions were removed, and Road Foreman Hickman reopened the road to the public and ended it.

REMOVAL NOTICE

The Singer Stores, formerly located at 427 S. Broadway and 555 S. Main St. have been removed to 741 S. Broadway, Los Angeles where our patrons will receive careful attention and all are invited to call.

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By order of the Board of Directors.

R. H. BALLARD,
Secretary of The Edison Electric Company.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

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SAN DIEGO.

"KING'S" CURSE PUT ON WOMAN.

"MAJESTY" NEEDS MONEY AND IS BITTER.

Mrs. Scharf of Texas Because She Has not Cash for Expedition to South Sea Island.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—"I will put a curse on her and she will get sick and die." That spoke "King" Schlatter, who claims to found a kingdom on Guadalupe Island, when shown a letter from Fort Worth, Tex., to Mrs. Annie Scharf had sent him $200 to help in defraying the expenses.

"Yes," said Schlatter, "that I have had some dealings with Mrs. Scharf, but she has sent me no money. I was in Ft. Worth, last fall, and went to see her for treatment. I had a spell of sickness. She so publicly and promised to pay me $75. But not ask her for money. She is the product of her own free will. She is a wealthy woman but up to the present time I have received nothing. The story that she gave me the curse and for it I will put a curse on her, making her sick is false.

"King" says he inherited an island from Alexander Dowie and that Dowie and her husband promised to go to San Diego, by the 25th of this month to fit out an expedition to the South Sea. The island, he declares, is enormously rich in gold.

"Mrs. Scharf," he remarked, "is a Christian, and the curse of God will be on her the rest of her life."

FOG HELD BY FOG.

Most of the heavy fog over the harbor in-the-bay, vessels arriving this afternoon were unable to pass the harbor. Among the vessels from the State of California, with lumber from San Francisco and Eureka, the lumber schooner Fortuna and the coal collier Tordenskjold. For two days the fog has held the vessels in port.

OFFICER TRANSFERRED.

Lieut. A. S. Abbott, one of the young officers at Fort Rosecrans, has been transferred. He will leave Monday for Fort Bayard, N. M. He was assigned to the Coast Artillery Company at Fort Rosecrans a short time ago, coming from Fort Wadsworth.

C. T. Bridge, second vice-president of the Rock Island system, accompanied by Mrs. Mudge, is touring Southern California. They spent Saturday in Coronado and this city and went to Riverside, where they were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Hall. They will be in Los Angeles for a short time.

RABBITY FAIL.

Only Two out of Six Applicants for Teachers' Certificates Pass at El Centro.

EL CENTRO, Jan. 17.—But two of the six applicants for teachers' certificates passed the examination before the County Board of Education here. The successful ones were Miss Kelsey of Anaheim and Miss Finn of Pasadena.

Father Hennessy, Catholic priest of the Imperial Valley diocese, has opened St. Joseph's Sanatorium, San Diego, for the treatment of threatened pneumonia.

The Imperial County Teachers' Institute will be held in El Centro the week beginning March 15. Several prominent educators will be here at that time, being the State Superintendent of Public Instruction Kirk Boppel, Superintendent of Schools of Los Angeles county, and J. H. Jacobs, publisher of the Imperial Valley News, has won his suit against William B. Edwards of Holtville, for land in the Imperial Valley, near the new town of Edwards.

The city trustees of Imperial have decided to have a city scavenger and City Attorney is to prepare an ordinance providing for this office.

Attorney Conway and Chick Reeder have a boxing bout here Tuesday evening.

Prohibition party Presidential candidate during the last campaign visited Imperial Valley cities and will deliver several addresses.

Fifty acres of land has been taken by the Yuma Land and Water Club to raise money to dredge the Colorado River between Yuma and the International county.

The Wells-Fargo Express Company and the Western Union Telegraph Company have secured new quarters on Broadway, near Fifth. A nine-year lease was obtained.

RUNAWAYS CAPTURED.

Two Indian Girls from Sherman Found in Company of Mexican.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 16.—Three young Indians who ran away from the Sherman Institute at Arlington, were captured several miles below Chula Vista. They were with a Mexican. Marshal Lyman found the girls were brought to Colton. Institute officials notified, and they are coming for them later. Two boys absent from the institute.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Lighting Company will be held at the company's office, No. 645 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 27th day of January, 1909, at 2:30 o'clock P. m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1909.

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COLTON.

COLTON, Jan. 17.—A controversy is on between the Trustees and the San Bernardino Valley Traction Company, owning its tracks in the downtown district. The city desires the company to raise the rails nearer the level of the road at the corner of Eighth and D streets. Mr. Wetmore, who has been in charge of the work, has been ordered discharging in the past few days, but after a week or three weeks, is returning in a serious condition.

Frank Rohr, who was injured last week when his leg crushed in a machine in the cement works, has had a second amputation, being taken off at the hip. The leg had been taken off at the knee.

Miss Ruth Smith, formerly Miss Ruth Hall, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

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BUILDING NARROWLY ESCAPES DESTRUCTION.

Flames, Which Originated in Cupboard, Eat Through Wall Into Air Space Before Discovered by Night Watchman—No Patients in Institution—Laborers Robbed of Dollars.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—Peter M. Alexander, night watchman at the San Bernardino Hospital, prevented destruction of the building by fire at an early hour this morning. He discovered a blaze of mysterious origin in a cupboard. The flames had eaten through the wall into an air space and were shooting up to the garret, when the watchman turned in an alarm.

Fortunately, the last patient had been discharged yesterday morning, and Alexander was the only person in the building at the time. The damage is estimated at $500.

CONFESSES CRIMES.

C. R. Reed, who says he is a son of wealthy Corona parents, has been locked up on the charge of having obtained money under false pretenses. He posed as an employment agent and collected fees from many men, on the promise that he would secure them work in Imperial Valley. In some instances, he took the last dollars of his victims. He made a complete confession, and hopes his parents and Corona friends will help him in getting out of his trouble.

PROFESSOR RECOVERING.

Prof. William Nord, chemistry instructor of the Chino High School, is slowly recovering from severe burns sustained last week while handling sulphuric acid. He was making demonstrations before the class, with the aid of Sidney Moise, a pupil. A pot containing the acid was dropped and the professor was burned about the abdomen.

DOWN WITH POLES.

Tomorrow, at midnight, the Sunset telephone system within the fire district will be changed from overhead to underground wires. The company is preparing to remove all poles from the fire district. The Home company has been able to delay putting in its underground system.

HIS ANNUAL ADDRESS.

President of Redlands Y.M.C.A. Tells of Splendid Work—Directors Elected.

REDLANDS, Jan. 17.—At the dinner given by the Y.M.C.A. night before last, Halsey W. Allen, the president, delivered his annual address. The Sunday afternoon meetings, he said, were held nine months out of the twelve, with an average attendance of seventy-seven. The average attendance of the Bible Study Club, which meets each Tuesday evening during the winter, was forty-seven. Rev. G. H. Hillerman, the leader of the club, was praised for his splendid work. Words of praise were also given for the excellent work of the general secretary, M. A. Hollabaugh; the physical director, R. L. Glover, and the Women's Auxiliary.

Rev. Robert L. Fisher, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Riverside, spoke on "Manhood."

The annual report of the physical director showed that department to be very active, there being business men's, senior, junior and club classes in indoor athletics, as well as many handball, basketball, baseball, football and tennis games.

George H. Hunter, treasurer, reported the balance on hand the first of 1908, $160.41; total receipts for the year, $5312.08; disbursements, $5228.94; balance on hand, $85.14.

At the close of the reports these directors were elected: E. M. Cope, C. H. Covell and C. L. Hayes for terms of three years each; J. L. Avey and A. Gregory, for two years; K. C. Wells for one year.

RETAIN POSITIONS.

Old Directors of Anaheim Bank Re-elected—Death Comes Suddenly to San Juan Capistrano Child.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 17.—The American Savings Bank has elected these directors: Frank Shanley, John Hartung, Dr. H. A. Johnston, Dr. Houck, Frank Baum, Ben Dauser, John Brunworth, Charles Federman, A. Nagel. The old board of officers were re-elected.

M. J. Cook and family have moved to Artesia.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Arce of Capistrano died suddenly while the Arce family was visiting here. The body was taken to Capistrano yesterday for burial.

A carload of canned goods was shipped north from the local cannery yesterday.

Conductor Leonard, who has been running a passenger train on the Los Angeles-San Diego road for nearly twenty years, had a partial stroke of paralysis a few days ago and is undergoing treatment in a Los Angeles hospital.

LIGHT VESSELS ARRIVE.

Fleet Reaches San Diego After Uneventful Voyage of Fourteen Thousand Miles.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—After an uneventful voyage of 118 days, the fleet of light vessels and light-house tenders which left New York last September came into port today. The fleet consists of the light-ships Columbia River, Swiftsure and Relief and the tenders Sequoia, Kukui, and Manzanita. Capt. Mertz is in command.

The fleet has made a voyage of 14,000 miles without mishap. The vessels will remain here till Wednesday and then proceed to San Francisco and later be distributed. One light-ship will probably be stationed at Astoria and another may go to Honolulu.

ORO GRANDE.

ORO GRANDE, Jan. 17.—A train consisting of ten carloads of machinery pulled into the siding of the Golden State Portland Cement Company a few days ago, coming direct from the Allis-Chalmers factory at Milwaukee. This contained the ball mills and tube mills for the cement plant. Add to this a car of cement, a car of lumber and two cars of structural steel, all arriving at the same time, and the freight department of Oro Grande was taxed to the limit.

Mr. Little, president of the Union Iron Works of Los Angeles, was here last week to superintend the erection of the structural steel for the buildings of the cement company. He expects to have all the ones he has contracted for erected within the next few weeks.

Newcomers are constantly coming in to take up desert claims in this vicinity, both for agricultural and mining purposes. This is rapidly becoming recognized as the finest apple land in this State.

GOLDEN LURE.

WORK FOR YEAR BENEATH CRUST.

ESCONDIDO MINERS LOOK FOR REWARD THIS WEEK.

Have Driven Tunnel Over Five Hundred Feet and Expect to Strike Ledge Within Next Five Days. Have not Drawn Any Wages nor Mined Dollar's Worth of Ore.

ESCONDIDO, Jan. 17.—Having worked continuously one year and sixteen days, and having attained a distance of 525 feet in the tunnel, east of the Cleveland-Pacific mine, near Escondido, White Farmer and Roy Crise, two well-known mining men, believe they are about to strike the ledge which will bring them fortune. Farmer expects to hit the ore within the next five days.

The men have stuck to the work, having put all their time to it, without having drawn down a dollar in wages and without having mined a dollar's worth of ore.

DEBATE FOR SWING CUP.

Hemet Wins from Ontario—Woman's Club Studies the Child from Many Points.

HEMET, Jan. 17.—The debate for the Swing Cup for which the high schools of Riverside and San Bernardino counties are contesting, was held at the Operahouse Friday evening. The Ontario High School debated against the Hemet Union High School. The operahouse was decorated with the colors of both schools, and the yells and songs of both were given for nearly an hour before the debate opened. Sydney Boughn, president of the Hemet Student Body, presided. The subject was: "Resolved, that the United States ought to be the second naval power of the world." Donna Leake and Narvell Jordan of Ontario spoke on the affirmative and Lister Sears and J. Boyd Oliver of Hemet took the negative. Judges were Prof. Frampton of Pomona College, Prof. Ulery of U.S.C. and Superintendent Coughman of Pomona High School. After being out but a few minutes, their decision was brought in in favor of Hemet on all three points, argument, delivery and rebuttal.

CHILD STUDY.

The Woman's Club held its regular meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. C. Goodhue. The feature was a study of the child, from the standpoint of the grandmother, mailen aunt, teacher and neighbor. Mrs. C. A. Hubert spoke for the grandmother, Mrs. Parr Goodall for the mother, Miss DeFremery for the maiden aunt, Mrs. Dr. Curl for the teacher and Mrs. F. G. Wedemeyer for the neighbor. The talks were all short and spicy, full of the speakers' experiences. Afterward there was a general discussion.

The Farmers and Merchants Bank held its annual stockholders' meeting Thursday for the election of directors. Charles McDiarmid has withdrawn on account of ill health, and Joseph Simpson was elected in his place. The list is T. E. Rickard, D. W. Amos, I. B. Gibbel, S. F. Daniels, N. Essick, W. W. Phelps, W. C. Goodhue, Joseph Simpson, J. B. Blackshaw, S. W. Leffingwell and H. I. Link.

TWO IMPORTANT SALES.

UPLAND, Jan. 17.—J. O. Enell of Pomona has closed two important sales here. D. W. Wade sells to J. W. Partin a ten-acre orange grove at Euclid avenue and Sixth street; consideration $15,500. Joseph Dundas sells to E. B. Clark of Pomona a twenty-acre orange grove at the corner of Euclid avenue and Eleventh street; consideration $30,000.

CLINGS TO HER SECRET.

WATERTOWN (N. Y.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Perfectly conscious, yet knowing that her life can be prolonged but a few hours, Florence Ferrell, a handsome girl of 21 years, lies at St. Joachim's Hospital baffling the efforts of the authorities to have her disclose the whereabouts of family or friends.

On December 3, while skating at a roller rink in this city, she fell and sustained serious injuries. She has been employed as a waitress in a local hotel, but would never reveal anything concerning her past life or relatives.

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CUBA SOON TO STAND ALONE.

AMERICANS TO LEAVE IN TEN DAYS' TIME.

Efforts Will Be Made to Force Congressmen to Do Their Duty and Friends of Island Hopeful—New President to Take Office Next Week.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

HAVANA, Jan. 17.—On January 28, at noon, the Cuban people will come into their own at the hands of the American government for the second time. It was on May 20, 1902, that the American flag, hoisted after the war with Spain, was hauled down in favor of the blue-striped, single-barred ensign of Cuba.

Then, in September, 1906, a company of marines landed at the palace from the United States cruiser Denver, and halted a victorious revolutionary army on the outskirts of Havana and American intervention, which first came against a foreign power, was once more a reality, this time to set things right among the Cubans themselves.

The members of the Cuban Congress had become indifferent and for months prior to the revolution it had been impossible to secure the attendance of a quorum. The necessitated government by Presidential decree and it was quickly followed by the cry that President Palma was assuming the role of dictator.

The American provisional Governor, Charles E. Magoon, has done all that it was possible for him to do, to prevent a recurrence of this state of affairs by decreeing that Congressmen who do not attend the sessions shall not receive pay. These rules, however, have already been declared dictatorial by the Congressmen, and an attempt undoubtedly soon will be made to repeal or amend them.

The Congressmen also are even now discussing an increase in their salaries from $300 to $400 a month although the Cuban constitution, like that of the United States, declares that an increase of salaries shall be effective only in succeeding Congresses to that amending the law.

The liberal party, which claims to be the party of the common people, went into power as the result of an almost unanimous ballot.

Maj.-Gen. José Miguel Gomez, the new President, has magnanimously decreed that although the conservative party vote in the recent election was almost nothing, that party shall have the 30 per cent. of the appointive offices.

The inauguration of Gomez on January 28, will take place at the palace at noon.

Several American warships will fire a national salute but neither United States sailors nor soldiers remaining on the islands will participate in the inauguration parade as their presence might detract from the pride of the people in the return of native sovereignty.

FIGHT COMING.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 17.—The twentieth annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America will meet here next Tuesday. Between 1200 and 1400 delegates are expected.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF

In "Hie" Feather?

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Temperance at Workhouse.

Thomas Murphy addressed the inmates of the city workhouse, yesterday afternoon, on the evils of intemperance and fifty-four men signed the pledge. Miss Mattie Scherer sang.

Large Territory.

W. A. Robinson of San Francisco, assistant superintendent of the postal registry department, is in the city, a guest at the Hayward. He is making a tour of the postoffices in this section. His territory includes the offices west of Denver and the Hawaiian Islands and Alaska.

Banquet Tonight.

The annual banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association will be held at 6 o'clock tonight at Levy's. Members who have not yet secured tickets can purchase them from Secretary Zeehandelaar this morning. A large attendance is expected and a number of interesting speakers will respond to toasts.

Interest in Revival.

Much interest is shown in the revival meetings at the Haven Methodist Church at Twenty-seventh and Paloma streets and it has been decided to continue the services during this week. Evangelist R. S. Marshall was in charge, yesterday, and the church was crowded. Rev. George Hemus, a noted evangelist, and his wife, are to conduct the meeting tonight and Wednesday and on Tuesday evening, Rev. Dr. F. D. Howe of the Westlake Methodist Church, will preach. Rev. J. C. Elliott, pastor of the Haven Methodist Church, received seventy-six persons into membership, yesterday.

BREVITIES.

To Let—Handsomely fitted office and exhibit spaces of desk room, also basement, in premises occupied by new branch office of The Times at 531 S. Spring st.; splendid location; suitable for California products display and well adapted for headquarters of excursions, steamship or railroad enterprises, as well as mining exhibits. Established information bureau now conducted in connection. For particulars and rental cost apply on premises, or to Manager's office in the Times Building.

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Dr. J. M. White is again giving his dental practice his personal attention and can be found in his office, 529-531 Bryson bldg., 2nd and Spring. 'Phone A1043.

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CATTLE OWNERS ARRIVING.

Delegates to American National Live Stock Association Convention Ahead of Time.

Delegates to the twelfth annual convention of the American National Live Stock Association are arriving in the city, although the convention does not open until the 26th inst. At the downtown hotels reservations have been made for several hundred guests. The members of the association are for the most part wealthy men and many of them will remain in Southern California for some time.

Secretary T. W. Tomlinson opened his headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce building several weeks ago. He is arranging the programme and minor details. President H. A. Jastro of Bakersfield has been here on several occasions to confer with the secretary. The railroads in the cattle districts have granted a special rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip.

MORE TRY CHRIST LIFE.

Five Hundred at Logansport, Ind., Take Pledge for Two Weeks.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOGANSPORT (Ind.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five hundred people started today with resolutions to live for two weeks as Jesus Christ would have lived were He on earth. They are members of the Baptist congregation, one of the largest churches in the city, and took the resolution following a sermon by the pastor, Rev. Alfred Mainwaring. The ten commandments, he said, were only the framework of the life Christ would lead, and no smoking, no drinking, no sharp dealing in business by men, no extravagance for personal adornment, no gossip, and no gum-chewing by women, were included in the pledges made.

FEATHERED DWARFS.

PRIZE-WINNING LITTLE BIRDS.

PIGEONS AND BANTAMS MAKE EXCELLENT SHOWING.

Bring Their Owners Many Special Cups and Trophies—End of the Fifth Annual Exhibition of the Southwestern Pigeon and Bantam Club—List of Prizes.

The fifth annual exhibition of the Southwestern Pigeon and Bantam Club closed last night after one of the best and busiest days of the show. A large number viewed the birds and the rooms were crowded until late in the evening.

This is the first time that the club has exhibited pigeons and bantams exclusively and the results are satisfactory in every way. There were 150 hen pigeons shown, the second largest collection ever exhibited in America, according to R. V. Moore of Oakland, who judged the pigeons. The entries of Red and Yellow by J. A. Coxe were exceptionally fine and the fact that they won from those of Richard Keatings of Palo Alto, who has won first prizes at many exhibitions all over the United States, shows that they must be of rare quality.

The ponderous Red Runt belonging to Dr. W. J. Smythe of Oakland, which took first prize, is considered by many fanciers to be second to only one other in America, one belonging to Theodore Havemeyer, the "sugar king" of New York.

Much interest was also taken in the bantams, although the sales were not as heavy as during previous exhibitions. All of these pert animals are in the best of condition and have not shown any ill effects from the close confinement.

The following cups and special prizes were awarded yesterday: Cup for best display of pigeons, J. A. Coxe; Maltese Hen Pigeon Cup for best specimen, regardless of color or sex, W. H. Elliot; Pouter cup for best specimen, Martin M. Smith; Fantail cup for best specimen, Fred Adams; cup for best specimen of Owls, O. I. Diamond; cup for best specimen of Runts, J. R. Coxe; Jacobin cup for best specimen, J. Nielson; Homer cup for best display of Homers, Barlow and Vogel; Charneaux cup, for best display, C. R. King; cup for best specimen of Homer, E. S. Brown; cup for best old Dragoon, John Brenton; cup for best young Dragoon, John Brenton.

Special prizes: Trio of White Cochin bantams for best Magpies, R. E. Ewert of Oakland; trio of Black Cochin bantams for best English show Homer, J. L. Horner.

Cash prize for best white Maltese hen pigeon in show, E. G. Walts.

SAN PEDRO.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 17.—Petitions are being circulated here to be sent to Sacramento requesting the enactment of legislation permitting cities of all classes to unite upon a majority vote. The Citizens' Consolidation Committee, which represents the 550 petitioners who presented to the Trustees a petition asking that an election be held for the purpose of voting upon the question of excluding from San Pedro, all that territory lying north of the south line of Fifth street, is working in the matter.

It is pointed out that the desire is to consolidate with Los Angeles, and that "this drastic measure was only resorted to by reason of there being no law upon the statute books of this State allowing a city of the fifth class and one having a freeholders' charter to consolidate."

A bill allowing cities of all classes to unite upon a majority vote in each city has been prepared and placed in the hands of Senator McCartney and Assemblyman Walter Leeds to be voted on at this session of the Legislature. The committee approves the bill which will remove the embargo now imposed against this city and Los Angeles.

VITAL RECORD

BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Births.

FRANKEL. To the wife of Adolph Frankel, No. 2508 East First street, January 15, a son.

Deaths.

ROUSSIN. Mary Roussin, formerly of St. Louis, Mo., died Thursday, January 14, at 4 p.m., at No. 105 N. Hill street. Friends can view remains at Pierce Bros. parlors, 510 S. Flower street, Sunday. Funeral Monday, 9 a.m., from Cathedral, Second and Main streets. St. Louis papers please copy.

LUTHER. In this city, January 14, Mrs. Elizabeth Luther, aged 57. Funeral services will be held at the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 510 S. Flower st., January 18, at 11 a.m.

WELLS. At Monrovia, January 15, Emma A. Wells, aged 59 years, wife of T. W. Wells. Funeral Monday 2 p.m. at Kirby & Turner's parlors. Interment Augusta, Mich.

FLORES. Died in Corona, Riverside Co., Tiburcio Flores, aged 78 years, born Magdalena, Mex. Interment Calvary Cemetery Monday, 9 a.m., from Our Lady of the Angels Church. Friends and relatives cordially invited.

GOULD. January 16, at the age of 85 years, Mrs. Margette Gould, beloved mother of Will J. Gould and Mrs. Nettie A. Buchanan, at No. 606 East Kensington Road. Funeral at Pierce Bros. chapel, No. 510 S. Flower, Monday 10 a.m. Interment Inglewood Cemetery. Funeral cars leave 8th and Grand ave. 11 a.m. sharp. All friends invited.

MERRYWEATHER. Entered into rest, at the family residence, No. 2301 Oak st., this city, Miss Caroline Lucy Merryweather, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles and sister of C. Ernest and Maude H. Merryweather, a native of Michigan, aged 20 years. Funeral will take place Tuesday, January 19, from St. John's Episcopal Church, corner Adams and Figueroa streets, at 2 p.m. Interment Rosedale Cemetery.

BLUNT. In this city, Jan. 12, 1909, James F. Blunt, aged 80 years. Funeral service at the chapel of Bresee Bros., 855 South Figueroa St., Monday at 1 p.m. Interment Rosedale.

SMITH. Elizabeth Smith, late of Hermosa, Cal., January 17, aged 69 years. Funeral Tuesday, January 19, at 10 a.m. from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor. Interment, Calvary.

RODE. At 2044 Marengo street, January 16, Susana, beloved wife of Edward Rode, aged 21 years. Funeral Tuesday, January 19, at 9 a.m., from parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor. Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 10 a.m.

Funeral Notice—Attention G.A.R.

The comrades of Stanton Post and other posts of the G.A.R. in the city, and auxiliary organizations, are requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, Isaac Peel, Tuesday, January 19, at 2 p.m., from the Nazarene Church, corner of Sixth and Wall streets. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

A. T. LARGE, Post Commander.
J. M. GUINN, Adjutant.

HOLLENBECK LODGE, No. 319, F. & A. M., will confer the third degree Tuesday, January 19, commencing at 2 p.m.
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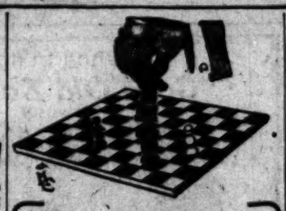

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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; high northeast wind, changing to west. For San Francisco and vicinity: Rain; fresh south wind.

Sunrise, 6:58; sunset, 5:10; moon rises 6:15 a.m. Wednesday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 54 deg. Wind: 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 4 miles; 5 p.m., west; velocity, 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 52 deg.; foggy.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 56 deg.; foggy.

[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 13, Part II.]

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POINTS OF THE NEWS
IN TODAY'S ISSUE.

The City.

Mayor is given ovation at the annual banquet of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association; many vital points made in annual report of the President.

Desert town of Mojave near the aqueduct is afraid to fall for workmen on great enterprise; roulette wheels spin day and night; many man arrested.

Chief Deputy District-Attorney renders opinion that many county officers should have new bonds because of failure of surety company and the county is unprotected.

Scheme of City Council to have public street plans for disposal of garbage and body will act today on three different ways of meeting problem.

Dr. Walter Lindley is appointed superintendent of the County Hospital in place of Dr. Lorbeer; many other appointments by Supervisors.

Numerous contributions to fund for relief of earthquake sufferers pass Association and Santa Paula Band head the list.

Miss Bixby, one of the newest

Throughout California.

Ball of charity ball, Pasadena, set for before Lent; horse show directors will allow ladies to ride astride.

Child kicked by horse has hole in skull.

Service between Imperial Valley and Los Angeles assured; progress in closing gap on Interurban Railroad.

Mrs. Thomas San Luis Obispo girl, [illegible] which sets fire to house [illegible] diphtheria patients are [illegible]

[illegible] will vote on $20,000 bond issue [illegible] improvements.

[illegible] break into Glendora postoffice, steal $100 and the stock of [illegible]

[illegible] of light vessels now in San Diego harbor ran short of food on voyage [illegible] Atlantic and for days men lived on [illegible] and jam.

[illegible] man falls eight feet and is serious[illegible]

[illegible] Beach discovery city property is [illegible] map; if it instructs engineer to investigate matter and establish tide line, [illegible] thousands of dollars' worth of concrete liquor dumped in gutter at [illegible]

Santa Monica Council and Los Angeles [illegible] strive to make peace with honor [illegible] parties in connection with franchise [illegible] war.

[illegible] hauls of fish made all along [illegible] Monica Bay.

[illegible] Board of Trade directors [illegible] officers.

[illegible] Slope.

[illegible] third pressed for cash; finds [illegible] has maroon colored touring [illegible] funds.

[illegible] of the delegates accredited to [illegible] convention delayed by [illegible] Roads convention delayed by [illegible] Secretary of Arizona prepared to [illegible] national convention to force [illegible] as result of Senate action [illegible] admission.

[illegible] Haskell of Oklahoma causes [illegible] W. R. Hearst's detective gatherings pertaining of Governor's libel [illegible]

General Eastern.

[illegible] of quadruplets, found starving, [illegible] begs court to permit her to [illegible] of the children, when order is [illegible] sending all to charitable institu[illegible]

[illegible] of John H. Woodbury, New York "[illegible] doctor," is found on blazing bed [illegible] Island hotel.

[illegible] hypnotic spell mysterious [illegible] [illegible] found has been blank, reveals [illegible]

[illegible] Anna Shaw rebukes rebellious [illegible] state of matrimony.

[illegible] matrimonial tangle of youngest [illegible] settlement.

[illegible] McFadden, fool faddist, [illegible] complaint of girl, locked up in [illegible] on serious charge.

[illegible]

[illegible] Court deals Standard Oil hard [illegible] [illegible] trust from the State and [illegible] [illegible] million and a half dollars.

[illegible] suit against New York work [illegible] Senate.

[illegible] Court decides against [illegible] [illegible] Mogan in suit for damages [illegible] ex-Gov. Peabody of Colorado.

[illegible] railway files [illegible] Supreme Court [illegible] petition in Chicago rebate [illegible]

Foreign.

[illegible] George of Servia makes stinging [illegible] to demand of powers that he [illegible] with Austria.

[illegible] Admiral Sperry's [illegible] [illegible] of French critics [illegible] unfavorable comparisons with [illegible] navy.

[illegible] Abruzzi arrives in London, [illegible] for exploring expedi[illegible]

[illegible] Indies.

[illegible] New York [illegible] market building to re[illegible] [illegible] railroad depot.

[illegible] [illegible] supply [illegible] [illegible] wheat